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BAY POLICE CHIEF RETIRES; COUNCIL HIRES MIKE RESO AS NEW CLERK



Photo by Geoff Belcher | Sea Coast Echo
New Bay St. Louis City Clerk Michael J. Reso, left, and retiring Police Chief Gary Ponthieux Jr. The city hosted a retirement lunch last Friday to see Ponthieux off.

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

The Bay St. Louis City Council last week lost a police chief, but gained a city clerk — Chief Gary Ponthieux announced his retirement at the same regularly-scheduled meeting

where the council voted to ratify Mayor Mike Favre’s appointment of Michael Reso as the new city clerk.

“After 28 years of

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BAY CHURCH HOSTS ACTIVE SHOOTER RESPONSE TRAINING



Photo by Geoff Belcher | Sea Coast Echo
Pastor Michael Ramsey of Central Bible Church in Bay St. Louis on Monday introduces Officer Kyle Craig, who presented a “Civilian Response to Active Shooter Event” seminar.

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

In the wake of a series of tragic mass shootings at schools and places of worship around the country, Central Bible Church in Bay St. Louis on Monday hosted about 100 participants from 20 area churches for what Pastor Mike Ramsey said he hopes is “the first

of many” active shooter response seminars. “We thank you, Lord, for the ability to be prepared,” Ramsey said in his opening prayer. Police Officer Kyle Craig led Monday’s Civilian Response to Active Shooter Event (CRASE) training. Craig is a veteran of both the Bay St. Louis and Pass Christian police departments and

currently serves on the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College police force. He also works on behalf of Advocates for Freedom, an anti-human trafficking organization. Advocates for Freedom founder Su-

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Hancock County Youth Court hosts annual reunification ceremony



Photo by Cassandra Favre | Sea Coast Echo
From left, April Johnson, Hancock County Judge Trent Favre, and Jordan Christner.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

The Hancock County Youth Court on Monday hosted its annual Reunification celebration. The month of June is also National Reunification Month. According to the American Bar Association’s website, this month “recognizes

the people and efforts around the country that helps families to stay together.” Precious Allen, regional director (Hancock and Pearl River counties) with Child Protective Services, spoke during the ceremony. “I’m always emphasizing the importance of embracing change

in lives, personally and professionally,” she said. “Change comes with new perspectives, new lens, outcome, and the ability to begin your own story. But most importantly, create your own endings.” Allen told the parents

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Coast Inn/Barnacle Bills sold to owners of Claiborne Hill; demolition planned

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Jim and Catherine MacPhaille, members of Mississippi Coastal Development, LLC on Friday announced the sale of the Coast Inn/Barnacle Bills to the owners of Claiborne Hill. Coast Inn is located at the corner of Hwy. 90 and Hwy. 603 in Waveland. “Three years of unexpected challenges began with attempts to secure a name brand hotel that would have been well suited for the location,” the MacPhailles said in a release. “Then came the pandemic, followed by two hurricanes, including Ida, which caused excessive structural damage and plenty of insurance hassles. Throughout the journey,

we rejected countless offers from businesses we knew were less than ideal for this important intersection. This site deserves so much more, and we are thrilled that we finally found a like minded buyer who wants to improve Hwy. 90 as we intended. Their short term plan is to demolish the property. Given their history, we are confident that their future development will be well suited and appropriate for the gateway in Waveland.” The MacPhailles also thanked the residents and Waveland Mayor Mike Smith for their patience. The property was formerly owned by the Lady family for about 40 years and was also previously known as The Waveland Resort and Holiday Inn.



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MLK Park grand re-opening celebration to include fireworks display

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

The committee in charge of renovating Martin Luther King Park in Bay St. Louis has scheduled a grand opening for this Saturday, July 2, beginning at 3 p.m., with hours of fun and food capped off by a fireworks display.

“This is a most welcome enterprise and endeavor,” the late Willie Acker said last year before the official groundbreaking ceremony for the refurbished park. “For many years, we have worked and now finally we are blessed with the opportunity to reinvent and renovate Martin Lu-

ther King Park.

“We love the community, we love the park, and we want to see it grow,” Acker said, “we want to see it thrive, so all people of every race and creed can enjoy the park.”

Acker’s dream has now become a reality, MLK Park Committee chief Lonnie Falgout said Monday.

“This has been a long overdue project, the revitalization of MLK Park,” Falgout said, “made possible by grants from Lowe’s Corporation, \$50,000; the Seal Foundation, \$30,000; Mississippi Power Foundation, \$40,000; other donations from Powerhouse of Deliverance, Frigo Orthodontics, David

Rush Contracting, Lightning Quick Signs, Elzy Concrete, Rodney Corr Contracting, Colt Fayard Construction, and many other contributors.”

The upgrades at the park include a brand new splash pad — paid for primarily by Power House of Deliverance in Bay St. Louis and Frigo Orthodontics; complete renovations of the bathroom facilities and pavilion; a new community stage; landscaping and refurbishing throughout the park; an ADA-compliant sidewalk; and new fencing, lighting and security measures. Additional renovations to be completed in the fall include new brick fencing and parking along

Washington Street.

“This was done under the leadership of non-profit Friends of MLK Park Bay St. Louis in conjunction with Mayor Mike Favre’s office, Bay St. Louis Public Works, Councilman Jeffrey Reed, Councilman Gary Knoblock, Points of Light Foundation (administrator of the Lowes Grant) and many other volunteers,” Falgout said.

Friends of MLK Park committee members include Chris Frigo, Allen Jenkins, Stephanie Reed Green, Sandra Price, David Rush, Louis Dunklin, Marian Glaser, Martin Elzy, Regan Kane, and grant administrator Lonnie J. Falgout, plus

many other community leaders.

Falgout, executive director of the Alice Moseley Fok Art Museum and a former Bay St. Louis city councilman, said the non-profit Friends of MLK Park committee formed in 2020, and worked to secure grants for the park’s renovation.

Saturday’s celebration will include food and refreshments all day, courtesy of B&J Pit Stop, the Alice Moseley Folk Art Museum, Greg Saucier of Coast Electric and Martin Elzy of Elzy Concrete.

Mystic Ghost Rides -- the adventure of a lifetime

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

Hancock County’s Bayou Caddy and its adjacent waterways are rich in history and steeped in legend, draped in tall tales and spooky stories like a swamp Cypress smothered in Spanish moss — and for Mystic Ghost Rides founder and owner Jenny Johnston, it’s been the adventure of a lifetime.

“I started the company on July 1, 2020, with the idea of being a historic ghost boat tour,” Johnston said recently.

A retired educator, Johnston moved her son Kade — now a student at

St. Stanislaus — and all their worldly belongings to Bay St. Louis not long before starting the business. She had dreamed of running an eco-boat tour for more than a decade before finally deciding the Bay St. Louis area was the place she needed to be.

She started the business from scratch, with \$25,000 and a dream.

“I created my website in September and bought the boat on Sept. 27 and tours started on Oct. 4,” Johnston said. “I wrote all my stories, researching them at the Hancock County Historical Society. About 72 hours be-

fore we actually began, I created the tour.”

“I feel like Bay St. Louis was meant to have me and I was meant to have Bay St. Louis,” she said. “My son and I both love it here, and I can’t imagine living anywhere else.”

Once Johnson found the Bay, she then had to actually launch the business.

“Then, when I was looking to buy the boat, I was looking for dock space and I had to go before the board of supervisors,” Johnston said.

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Photo submitted
Jenny Johnston, a.k.a. “Mystic Molly,” founder of Mystic Ghost Rides and Gulf Coast Eco-Tours. Ghost Ride tours leave from Bordages Marina.

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OLA presents Outstanding Awards to the Class of 2022

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Our Lady Academy hosted its Annual Senior Awards Ceremony on May 10, 2022, at Our Lady of the Gulf Community Center. The Class of 2022 students were recognized for their outstanding character, academic achievements, extracurricular achievements, and service achievements.

Principal Marilyn Pigott addressed the parents and students of the Class of 2022. “The Class of 2022 sits here having established some milestones as a class of 41 students. These ladies did not quit working during their senior year, but instead, worked hard throughout their senior year. All 41 members maintained or raised their overall GPA and the class can boast an overall class GPA of 3.79. I also congratulate you for a scholarship accomplishment of more than \$5.1 million dollars to date. That number translates to an average of over \$125,000 per student. Along with academics, this class has been outstanding in the area of serving others. Overall, the Class of 2022 has completed 5,220 service hours.”

Each year students are nominated by the faculty for senior awards and scholarships. The awards were presented by Mrs. Theresa St. Mary.

This is the first year for the Mystic Krewe of the Seahorse Hospitality Scholarship. The goal of the scholarship is to recognize and encourage students to pursue Hospitality related programs of study. This year’s first recipient is Jame’ Crowder.

The Madison Katherine Conaway Legacy of Kindness Scholarship was created in memory of Madison Conaway, a 2010 OLA graduate. The scholarship was created with the characteristics of Madison in mind which included: compassionate, selfless, resilient, fearless, and inquisitive. The recipient of this scholarship is Nina Palazzo.

P.E.O., a philanthropic and educational organization, Chapter U in Diamondhead presented the STAR Scholarship which recognizes



Mrs. Marie Bartels presented Nina Palazzo with the Madison K. Conaway Legacy of Kindness Scholarship



Rylie Moore received the Harry Hull Award

Young Women of Stellar Achievement. Katie Pennell, was named a STAR Scholarship.

Coast Cares Foundation is a local nonprofit that provides scholarships for students to pursue their dreams of continuing their education in either post-secondary education or technical education. This year, Coast Cares Foundation awarded Katie Pennell a 2022 Scholarship Award.

Frigo Orthodontics has awarded scholarships to current or former patients who focus on academics, service and character. This year Suzie Brown was the recipient of the Frigo Orthodontics Scholarship.

The Elena Marie Lorenza Lucore Ambassador Award is presented to a member of the Ambassador Club whose character mirrors the memorable qualities that Elena possessed and shared with everyone she met. This award is presented to the ambassador that has shown compassion, kindness, and has inconspicuously performed authentic acts of Christianity, and most of all, has shared her inner joy and laughter with others. The recipient of this award was Abby Whaley.

The Dana Hebert Award recognizes a graduating senior who exhibits a great dedi-



Sarah ‘Abby’ Whaley received the Elena Marie Lucore Ambassador Award.



Sydney Burrell received the OLA Achievement Award

cation and love of art. Along with the award, this student receives a scholarship towards the pursuit of art. The recipient of this year’s Dana Hebert award was Suzie Brown.

The American Citizenship Award is presented to the student that shows a positive attitude, strength of character, understands civic responsibility, and promotes citizenship among her peers. The nominees were Vaeda Hobbs, Morgan Roth, and Eugenie Saunders. This year’s American Citizenship Award was presented to Eugenie Saunders.

The Chamber of Commerce Award is presented each year for exceptional character and respect of peers and faculty. The nominees were Natalie Klein, Nina Palazzo, and Ella Taylor. This year’s Chamber of Commerce Award was presented to Ella Taylor.

The Achievement Award is given by the Our Lady Academy faculty to the student who has shown the most improvement, effort, and progress in her academic work. The nominees were Sydney Burrell, Haley Cox, and Eugenie Saunders. This year’s Achievement Award was presented to Sydney Burrell.

The American Legion Award is presented to the



Tish Williams presented Ella Taylor with the Chamber of Commerce Award.



Eugenie Saunders received the American Citizenship Award

student who, in service to her community, has shown high qualities of honor, courage, scholarship, leadership, companionship, and character. The nominees were Vaeda Hobbs, Colleen Nolan, and Ella Taylor. This year’s American

Legion Award was presented to Colleen Nolan. The Hull Award is one of OLA’s very special traditions is to honor an outstanding senior as the best all-around athlete here at OLA. This award is named after Harry Hull who taught at

OLA in the Mathematics Department for 30 years. Mr. Hull soon became known as Coach Hull as he founded, promoted, and coached many of our athletic teams. Coach Hull and Waddy LeBourgeois created the first women’s high school soccer team in Mississippi in 1988. This year’s Hull Award was presented to Rylie Moore.

Each year the Mississippi High School Activities Association recognizes scholar-athletes from across the state. The Lindy Callahan Award is given to one male and one female athlete from each of the eight MHSAA divisions. Abby Whaley was this year OLA’s Lindy Callahan nominee.

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P.E.O. Chapter U, D’head, presents \$500 to scholarship nominee

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P.E.O. Chapter U in Diamondhead recently presented \$500 to Our Lady Academy student Alyssa Fayard, who was the chapter’s nominee for the Miriam Scarborough Scholarship (MSS). Fayard was unable to compete for the scholarship because of COVID complications beyond her control. Barbara Quebedeaux, MSS committee chair, presented the check to Fayard on May 24, 2022.

Fayard will attend Mississippi State University to pursue an degree in biochemistry.

The Miriam Scarborough Scholarship was created in 1971 by Chapter E of Biloxi to honor Miriam Scarborough,



Photo submitted
Barbara Quebedeaux, MSS chair, with Our Lady Academy student, Alyssa Fayard, who was the recipient of a \$500 scholarship from P.E.O. Chapter U in Diamondhead, Miss.

past state president of the Mississippi state chapter. P.E.O. is a philanthropic and educational organization interested in bringing women increased opportunities for higher education. The

MSS presentation was the second scholarship P.E.O. Chapter U in Diamondhead has had the honor of giving this year.



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law enforcement, it’s time for me to move on to another line of work,” Ponthieux told council members Tuesday.

He thanked them and the mayor for allowing him to serve the city of Bay St. Louis, which he said had been “an honor.”

Ponthieux said he would continue to be “involved in the community.”

Ponthieux was appointed chief of the Bay St. Louis Police Department in November 2017. Before that, he served more than 23 years with the Gulfport Police Department. His last day with the city was Friday, June 24.

The city is currently advertising for a new police chief.

Preferred candidates shall have a Bachelor’s degree in Criminal Justice or a related field and seven to nine years of progressively responsible experience in police management and leadership. Previous experience in managing a police department is strongly suggested. Other combinations of experience and education may be substituted. The completion of the FBI National Academy, Southern Police Institute, or a comparable executive leadership course is a plus.

Anyone interested in the position can submit a resume to jfavre@bayst-louis-ms.gov.

Later in the meeting, the council voted to approve Favre’s recommendation to hire Reso,

who served as the Diamondhead city manager from 2018 until earlier this month.

The council also voted to amend the city’s payroll ordinance and administrative payroll budget to make Reso’s salary \$93,000 plus benefits.

“We thank Michael for his service and dedication to the city of Diamondhead,” city attorney Derek Cusick said after Reso tendered his resignation.

Also on Tuesday, the council approved a resolution for Mississippi Landmark designation of the Valena C. Jones School.

A group of Bay St. Louis residents began a petition effort to get the VCJ property historic landmark designation earlier this year.

“This is not a ‘Bay St. Louis’ thing,” Art Clementin, leader of the Valena C. Jones Task Force, said at the time. “It’s a Hancock County thing.”

Clementin said the VCJ school was “the last school in Hancock County built under U.S. segregation laws. Separate, but equal, they said.”

Clementin grew up in Pearlington. As a child, he went to the Roswell School in Logtown until 1962. That’s when NASA came in to build what was originally known as the Test Site, later, Stennis Space Center. From then on, he and other black children from Pearlington, Gainesville and Logtown were bussed to the Valena C. Jones School in Bay St. Louis.

The Valena C Jones School served as the primary institution for educating black students,”

according to the petition. “The entire Bay St Louis/Hancock County black community has benefited enormously from The Valena C Jones School. She has stood throughout the years as a beacon of hope during the many dark and trying times when black students struggled to get a quality education. Illustrations of self-expression flourished through cultural applications like music, plays, songs, and poems. The teaching staff taught students and the Community how to prepare for the voting process in spite of Jim Crow laws and attempts to suppress the black vote. School administrators, teachers and staff taught social skills to prepare students for entry into society and the work place. Students were also taught about the rich historic heritage of Black Americans.”

In other action Tuesday:

- The council approved a contract between the city and James J. Chiniche engineering for permitting design, bid and construction phase services for the Scianna Lane Drainage Improvements project.

- The council approved a motion to close Washington Street in front of Martin Luther King Park on July 2 from 2 p.m. until dark for a celebration marking the park’s reopening after extensive renovations.

- The council approved a motion to close Second Street from Main Street to Court Street in front of the Mockingbird Cafe on July 9 from 4-9 p.m. to accommodate the annual Frida Fest Look-alike contest.

Hancock deputy resigns, turns himself in at D’Iberville P.D. on assault charge

ECHO STAFF

A Hancock County Sheriff’s deputy was charged last week in Harrison County for the alleged assault of a woman outside a restaurant in D’Iberville on June 4.

Officials said former patrol Deputy Joseph Gendreau resigned from the sheriff’s office and turned himself in



Joseph Gendreau

at the D’Iberville Police Department on a misdemeanor charge of simple assault. He was released on a \$2,500 bond.

Gendreau allegedly groped and fondled the woman against her will.

He apparently worked as a part-time security guard at a bar near the restaurant.

The incident is still under investigation.

Kiln man sentenced for COVID-related fraud

ECHO STAFF

A Kiln man was sentenced to 30 months in prison for Covid-related wire fraud, announced U.S. Attorney Darren J. LaMarca and Homeland Security Investigations Special Agent in Charge David Denton.

According to court documents, on Aug. 3, 2020, Trevon Evans, 25, was arrested by the Hancock County Sheriff’s Office in relation to two stolen vehicles. At the time of his arrest, Evans was in possession of multiple identification cards with different names. Further investigation found that Evans had taken advantage of elderly neighbors by convincing them to give him their personal identifying information so that he could help them to receive benefits related to the COVID pandemic. Evans then used that information to apply for unemploy-

ment insurance under the Economic Security (CARES) Act benefits in the victims’ names and had the benefits sent to him at his residence. These benefits totaled over \$7,000 and were used by Evans at casinos along the Gulf Coast.

Evans pled guilty to wire fraud on February 16, 2022, in U.S. District Court in Gulfport.

The case was investigated by Homeland Security Investigations and prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Erica Rose.

The CARES Act is a federal law enacted on March 29, 2020, designed to provide emergency financial assistance to the millions of Americans who are suffering the economic effects caused by the COVID-19 pandemic. One source of relief provided by the CARES Act is the authorization that expands states’



Trevon Evans

ability to provide unemployment insurance for many workers impacted by COVID-19, including for workers who are not ordinarily eligible for unemployment insurance benefits.

Anyone with information about attempted fraud involving COVID-19 can report it by calling the Department of Justice’s National Center for Disaster Fraud Hotline at 866-720-5721 or via the NCDF Web Complaint Form at: <https://www.justice.gov/disaster-fraud/ncdf-disaster-complaint-form>.



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Opinion

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‘Put your money where your mouth is’

Having a job like this means I get an inside look at how some programs run.

Recently, I met and interviewed April and Jordan, who went through Hancock County Youth Court’s Family Treatment Court.

Hearing the stories from the participants of these programs is probably the only way to learn how it works.

It’s not like reading some fine-tuned press release, listening to some elected officials blow smoke up the rears of their constituents while hurriedly posing for photo opportunities, or turning the narrative over to only the people who run programs.

But, what I gleaned from these two participants, is that this is a program that certainly puts its money where its mouth is.

Although I can’t relate to their use of drugs, I can relate to turning to substances like alcohol to try and ease the pain of life’s disappointments and setbacks.

It took me a while, on my own, to figure it out. Especially when we live in a world where happy hours are glorified, alcohol is heavily promoted in glamorous ads, etc.

And your body does develop an addiction to alcohol and it can be hard to break away from that both physically and mentally.

I’m honored that both April and Jordan let me share their stories. I applaud their bravery, as well. It’s not easy sharing the stories about drug addiction to people who will potentially shame you for it and offer no real solution other than misguided vileness.

It seems so easy for some to sit in their ivory towers and cast judgement on addiction. Does it make people feel better or superior because they themselves have not fallen prey to drug addiction? They sure do love to punish it, rather than treat it.

Here’s a thought, too: Maybe if we put more effort into treating, there wouldn’t be such a demand for it and maybe it would dry up.

People rely on their elected officials to make decisions and laws that benefit their constituents. And more often than not, they seem to fail at that.

Policies are used as leverage again, and again, and again, during election cycles to solicit campaign funds and votes, but then, no real useful outcome is reached.

So, lawmakers, if you’re going to make laws that you want to force people to follow, put your mon-



STAFF COLUMN
by Cassandra Favre

Hancock History: Rum-Runners

In 1920 the United States enacted Prohibition of the production and sale of alcoholic beverages with the passage of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution. Mississippi had previously enacted prohibition in 1908. These unsuccessful and unpopular laws generated a host of smuggling conglomerates all over the country. Some organizations were regional in scope, but organized crime mobs soon entered the marketplace by starting their own operations or acquiring existing ones. A local, giant rum-running conspiracy/consortium flourished in Hancock County until it became a prime target of “revenueurs” of the US Treasury Department that was tasked in that era with enforcement of these laws.

A popular strategy of supply chain management during Prohibition was to smuggle liquor into the country by sea. Large ocean-going freight vessels would transport Canadian and Irish whiskey, French champagne, and English gin and anchor just twelve miles off-shore in the Gulf of Mexico, where the US government did not have jurisdiction. Daring smugglers in small, fast boats would off-load the boxes of liquor from the large vessels, and at night sneak into small ports such as the Kiln on the Jourdan River. These smugglers were called “rum-runners.” Their speedboats could outrun Coast Guard Cutters and manage in the shallow waters of the Mississippi Sound. They ran without lights at night and in fog risking life and limb. After the cargo was unloaded on the dock of a port, the smugglers who transferred the liquor

into cars, trucks, and railway cars for passage over land were called “bootleggers.” Any illegal alcohol was called “moonshine,” however manufactured or distilled. Hancock County offered the perfect setting for a smuggling enterprise because of its coastline and a plethora of small resident fishing boats, luggers, shrimp trawlers, sloops, speedboats, and yachts. Indeed, Bay St. Louis was a small fishing village. The local Peerless Oyster Factory supported a fleet of fifty fishing boats in its marina.

The revenueurs and the Coast Guard seized various individual boats laden with this precious cargo during the 1920’s along the coast, but began to suspect the presence of a major organized operation in Hancock County. The Kiln on the Jourdan Riv-

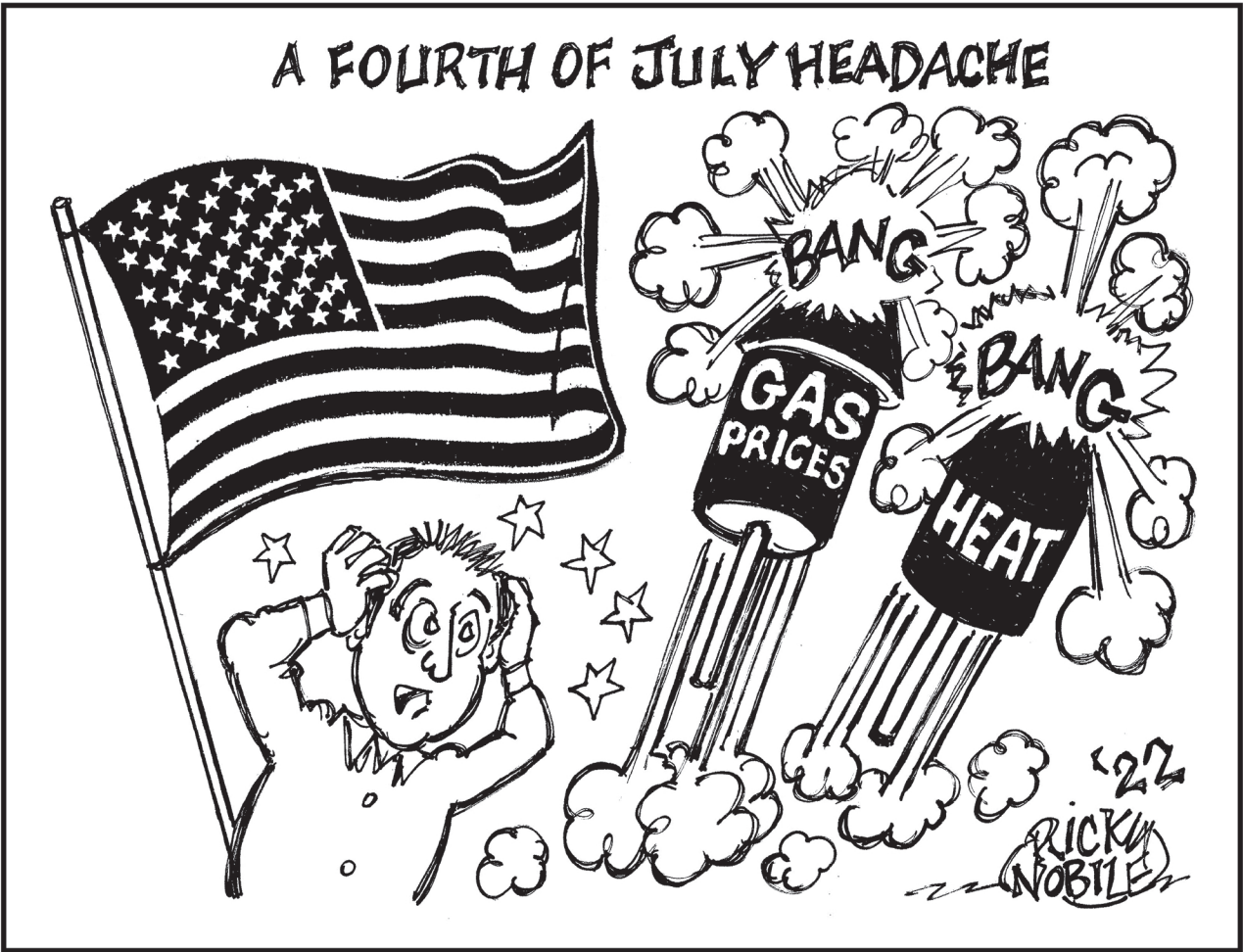


HANCOCK HISTORY
by James Keating
M.D.

er was presumed the significant port of entry of smuggling. By 1931 the Treasury agents closed the net having completed their investigation and indicted twenty individuals from Hancock County for smuggling.

In May 1933 five defendants received from a federal jury a guilty

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Conservation Corner: The Jeep

If there are two vehicles associated with hunting and fishing in Mississippi, they are the Jeep and the Bronco. They have carried us, and our gear, as well as our bounty, from many places where we dare not venture on foot. In this article, we will feature the famous Jeep, from its humble beginnings to an American icon.

There are many stories about where the word “jeep” came from and how it was coined. Although some are very interesting and quite memorable, the most popular notion is that the vehicle bore the designation “GP,” which stood for “General Purpose.” This was phonetically slurred into the word jeep. This, too, has been disputed, saying that in fact the initials stood for Government Pygmy.

Early in 1941, Willys-Overland demonstrated the vehicle’s ability by having it driven up the U.S. Capitol’s steps. In the driver’s seat was Willys’ test driver, Irving “Red” Haussman, who had recently heard soldiers at Fort Holabird

referring to it as “jeep.” Willys-Overland was later awarded sole privilege of owning the name, “Jeep,” as a registered trademark.

With such success in the military, Willys realized that the Jeep vehicle could be marketed to civilians and started placing advertisements in U.S. newspapers during and just after World War II introducing “the Jeep in civvies.” This led to the first mass-market Jeep vehicle, the CJ-2A (1945-1949), with “CJ” standing for Civilian Jeep.

In 1953, the year of the CJ-3B (1953-1968) debut, Willys-Overland was sold to the Henry J. Kaiser Industries for \$60 million. Kaiser Industries initially named its Jeep line “Willys Motors” and started an extensive research and development program that would see the Jeep product range greatly extended.

In 1965, a new V-6 engine was introduced as an option for the CJ-5 that nearly doubled the horsepower of the standard four-cylinder en-

gine. There were many editions of the CJ-5, including the 1964-67 “luxury” Tuxedo Park, the 1969 Camper, the 1969 “462” model, the 1970 Renegade, the 1971 Renegade II, the 1972-83 Renegade, the 1972 Super Jeep, and the 1977-83 Golden Eagle. It is surmised that the CJ-5 has logged more trail miles than any other Jeep vehicle.

Kaiser Jeep was eventually purchased by American Motors Corporation (AMC) in 1970. AMC decided to separate civilian and military production to focus on the budding sports utility vehicle market. One of their first orders of business was to update the existing CJ-5 and CJ-6. By 1978, total Jeep production reached 600 vehicles per day. AMC paraded their new Jeep vehicles with taglines such as: “With the guts to come on stronger than ever” and “If a new Jeep vehicle can’t take you there, maybe you ought to think twice about going.”

On August 5, 1987, a little over a year after



Guest Column
By James Cummins

the introduction of the Wrangler, AMC was sold to Chrysler and the Jeep brand became a part of the Jeep/Eagle Division of Chrysler Corporation. Fiat Chrysler Automobiles oversees the Jeep brand today and there is still a high demand for these popular vehicles.

James L. Cummins is executive director of Wildlife Mississippi, a non-profit, conservation organization founded to conserve, restore, and enhance fish, wildlife, and plant resources throughout Mississippi. Their website is www.wildlifemiss.org.

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ECHO STAFF

Randy A. Netto, 47, controlled substance to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense, or posses with intent to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense; false pretenses; contempt of court failure to appear
Chace M. Lapniewski, 26, statutory rape
Freddie J. Lewis, Jr., 66, contempt of court failure to appear x 3
Arielle N. Glabreth, 20, contempt of court failure to appear
Tina M. Diliberto, 59, careless driving; DUI
Larry G. Godfrey, 21, possession of paraphernalia
Vernell Davenport, 55, felony credit card fraud; contempt of court failure to appear
Forrest J. Pavolini, 72, contempt of court failure to appear
Andrew D. Jackson, 18, hold for other agency
Fred W. Tyler, 53, possession of controlled substance - enhanced penalty - habitual offender; felony possession of controlled substance
Collier Quintavious, 30, no motor vehicle insurance; no drivers license or expired; motor vehicle requirement of inspection/approval of motor vehicles, trailers, school buses, display of inspection
Daniel R. Chauvin, 42, contempt of court failure to appear
Jamaro D. Johnson, 35, contempt of court failure to appear
Benny R. Dardar, Jr., 36, disorderly conduct; contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Gregory M. Fuchich, 41, public drunk
Lillie J. Pellegrin, 59, trespass after warning

Tony J. Bounds, 44, contempt of court failure to appear
Robert J. Coleman, 47, simple domestic violence simple assault; contempt of court violation of protective order or court approved consent agreement; contempt of court failure to appear
Oscar Thomas, III, 42, possession of stolen firearm; possession of weapon by felon; controlled substance to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense or possess with intent to sell, barter transfer, manufacture, distribute, dispense x 4; hold for other agency
Gabrial M. Willard, 21, contempt of court failure to appear
Michele D. Wilson, 49, contempt of court failure to appear; MS compulsory school attendance law
Matthew W. Beaver, 41, contempt of court failure to appear
Daniel J. LaFontaine, 65, utilities, theft; contempt of court failure to appear
Robert S. Daniels, 60, felony possession of controlled substance; tampering with physical evidence
Matthew J. Kalukiewicz, 53, false identifying information; impersonating an officer or employee
Charles I. Kirtland, 43, contempt of court failure to appear
David M. Nguyen, 36, probation violation (house arrest)
Lisa M. Ladner, 51, contempt of court failure to appear
Rebecca Lott, 58, abuse/neglect/exploitation of incapacitated adult - simple assault; contempt of court failure to appear
Luis Verri, 37, operating an out of service vehicle; fails to stop for inspection station; unsafe operation
Zachary T. Kingston, 33, shoplifting

Crystal M. McDonald, 36, contempt failure to appear x 3
Timothy B. Parris, 38, contempt failure to appear
Jessica R. Peel, 30, motor vehicle resisting/obstructing arrest; trespass upon enclosed land of another
Dustin J. Rives, 23, misdemeanor possession of controlled substance
Sarah A. Thompson, 26, disorderly conduct
Cion D. Richardson, 29, simple domestic violence simple assault
Jabriel R. Alexander, 20, felony possession of controlled substance
Matthew N. Alombro, 19, simple domestic violence simple assault; possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while operating a motor vehicle
Deon J. Webb, 27, shoplifting
Latasha M. Webb, 41, shoplifting; hold for other agency
Nathaniel Briscoe, 27, simple domestic violence simple assault
Cynthia L. Tarantino, 67, DUI 2nd conviction
Hannah M. Britton, 20, possession of paraphernalia; public drunk; possession of a controlled substance violations; contempt of court failure to appear
Davis E. Matthews, 19, possession of marijuana (1-30 grams) while operating a motor vehicle
Ann M. Schmidt, 60, drunkenness/profanity in public place
Hannah O. Landeche, 20, possession of paraphernalia
Megan M. King, 31, contempt failure to appear
Dalton T. Byrd, 26, contempt failure to appear
Jessica I. Hall, 35, contempt of court failure to appear
Paul D. Peters, 33, felony possession of controlled substance
Dwight A. Wilson, 69, felony possession

of controlled substance; possession of paraphernalia
Don K. Wilson, 64, contempt of court failure to appear x 2; driving with suspended or revoked license
Shermaine Q. Preston, 20, contempt of court failure to appear
Lavar T. Patterson, 25, possession of marijuana or synthetic cannabinoids in a motor vehicle; no tag, expired or improperly mounted
Tracy L. Penton, 57, hold for other agency
Haley S. Cedotal, 38, hold for other agency
Katelyn O'Quinn, 36, possession of paraphernalia; no tag expired, improperly mounted, covering or mounted; tampering with physical evidence; hold for other agency; contempt of court failure to appear
Oki K. Johnson, 41, simple domestic violence simple assault
Sandie B. Houston, 31, possession of paraphernalia; contempt of court failure to appear x 2
Manuel C. Lago, 57, contempt of court failure to appear
Margaret T. Page, 63, bad checks, penalties/restitution
Megan M. King, 31, DUI; possession of a controlled substance violations; resisting arrest
Dominick J. Russo, 25, contempt of court failure to appear
Gina A. Mitchell, 34, possession of paraphernalia; tampering with physical evidence; felony possession of controlled substance
Jeremy W. Mitchell, 33, false identifying information; possession of paraphernalia
Robert D. Thomas, 49, contempt of court failure to appear
Willis E. Davenport, 60, DUI 1st offense
Charley C. Estate, 50, contempt of court failure to appear

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verdict of conspiring to violate the National Prohibition and Tariff Acts. As reported in the “Times Picayune,” Albert M. Morrison was the director of the smuggling syndicate and was sentenced to two years. County Deputy Sheriff Leander M. Necaize was also sentenced to two years. Merchant D. O’Neal and Joseph O’Neal received lesser jail time. Fenton Le Boeuf was put on probation. The

other fifteen defendants were acquitted, presumably because they were only the workers who loaded and unloaded the boxes of package liquor at the docks or drove the trucks. It is presumed that they also agreed to testify as to the details of the operation at trial. All these men from the Kiln were ably represented at the trial in federal court, by arguably the best lawyer in Hancock County, Walter Gex.
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shine” came from the practice of local distillers of whiskey to operate at night in the forest under the moon to avoid detection by the law enforcement officers, local and federal. Other folk names for the illegal alcohol or distilled spirit included mountain dew, hooch, homebrew, mulekick, shine, white lightning, and firewater. Today, one can purchase a bottle of “Kiln Shine,” legally produced on Highway 43 at the Crittenden Distillery. It is so well-crafted that people say it ought to be illegal; but gratefully it is not!

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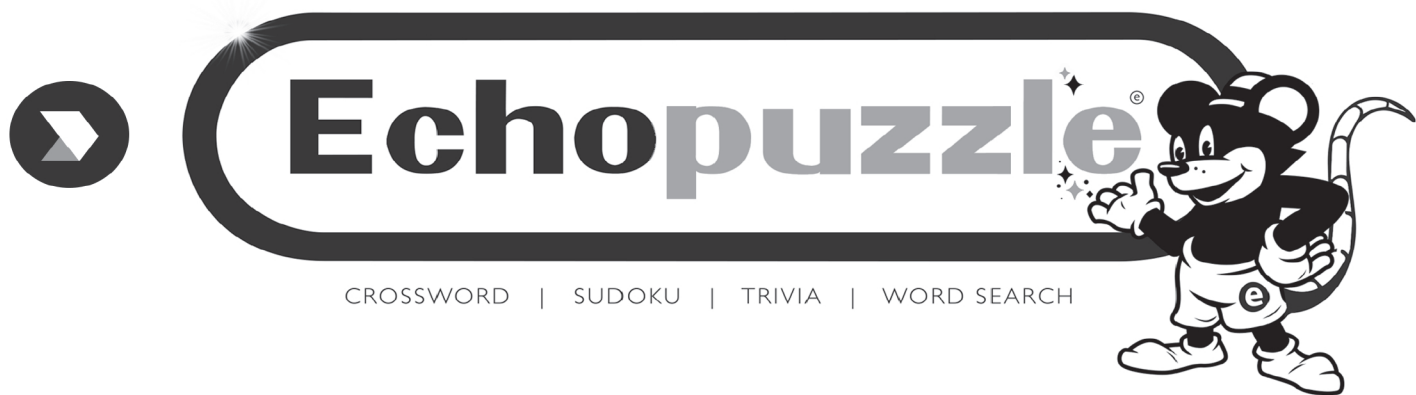
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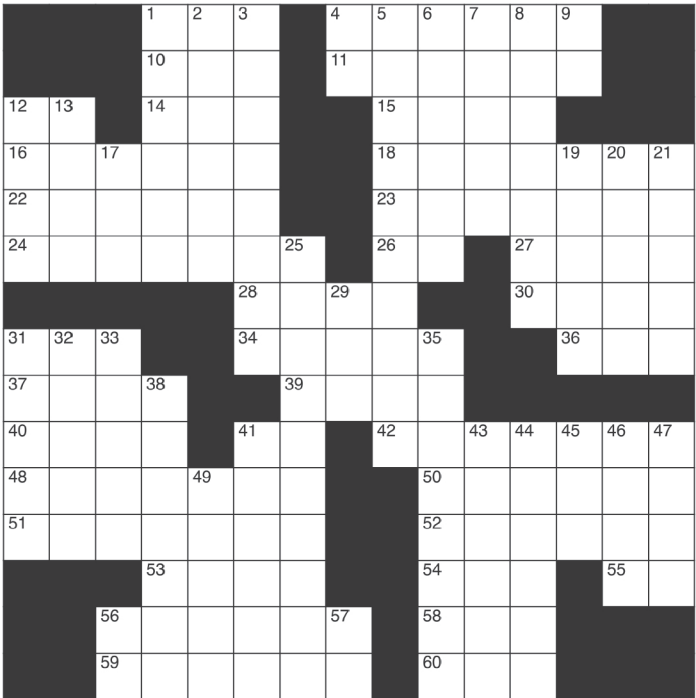
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CLUES ACROSS

1. Basics

4. In a new way

10. __ Paulo, city

11. Jailhouse

12. Expresses surprise

14. Trigraph

15. A small stream

16. Dissimilar

18. Promote

22. Gives a boost

23. Lawmaker

24. Orthodox Jews

26. Actor Harris

27. Wild cherry

28. Participate in democracy

30. Opposite of begins

31. A Brit’s mother

34. Set of moral principles
36. Very fast airplane

37. Czech river

39. Private school in New York

40. Israeli dance

41. Electron volt

42. Adjusting

48. Duct by the bladder

50. Small burger

51. Begin again

52. Unstuck

53. Jai __, sport

54. Get free of

55. For instance

56. Hotel chain

58. A team’s best pitcher

59. Extracts from various sources

60. Indefinite period of time

1. Where was the first celebration of Independence Day held?

2. Every Independence Day, how many times does the Liberty Bell ring?

3. What was the name of the newspaper that published the Declaration of Independence?

4. The Fourth of July commemorates which document?

5. Which American president was born on July 4th?

CLUES DOWN

1. St. Francis of __

2. Supported

3. United in working

4. It cools your home

5. Predicting

6. Irritated

7. Popular talk show host

8. Fabric edge

9. A resource for employees

12. Broadway’s Jackman

13. Small water buffalo

17. City of Angels: __ Angeles

19. Asteroids

20. Tailless amphibians

21. German expressionist painter

25. What drives you
29. N. Vietnamese ethnic group

31. Gold coin used in British India

32. Have deep affection for

33. Ponds

35. Breaks between words

38. Hairstyle

41. Print errors

43. Family of iron alloys

44. Sidelined in bed

45. Many couples say it

46. Brazilian hoopster

47. Allman Brothers late frontman

49. German city

56. One hundred grams (abbr.)

57. One billionth of a second (abbr.)

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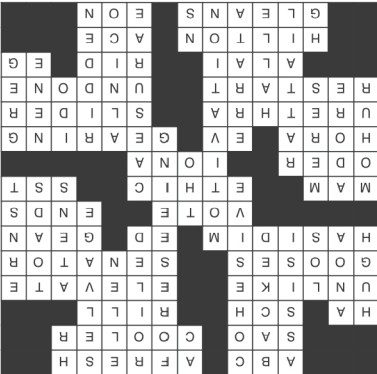
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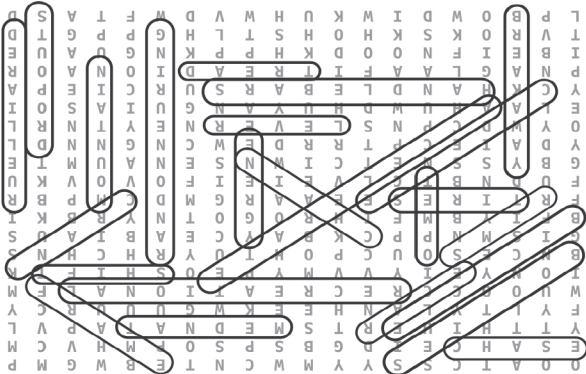
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4. Declaration of Independence

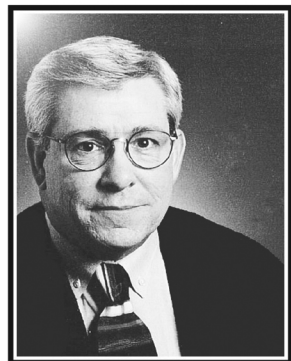
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Devotional Page

A Big Idea

By **REV. C. GERALD RICHARDSON, D. MIN**



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In the year 1776 a group of the leading citizens in the American colonies gathered in Philadelphia to entertain a big idea. They had endured what many thought were unfair taxes along with too much interference

from England which continued to hold authority over their lives without due representation.

They appointed a bright and well educated man by the name of Thomas Jefferson to prepare a strong declaration which was directed at the mother country. The resulting document came to be known as “The Declaration of Independence”. It was founded on the worth of the individual, the rights of people to live freely, and the notion of the dignity of human beings. The declaration insisted that these rights were “unalienable” and that they were “endowed by their

creator”. This was not a religious or doctrinal statement, but it was intended to recognize that individuals possess the privilege of following their own consciences regarding matters of faith.

The declaration was followed by a revolutionary war led by General George Washington who, after a costly victory, became the first president of the new nation. Following the war a constitution was created in 1787 which stands today as the foundational law of the land. It has been amended a number of times including a “Bill of Rights” which expanded upon the recognition of

individual liberty. The constitution is 235 years old this year. We continue to strive for a “more perfect union” which was stated in the preamble.

Much has changed across the years. Women now have the right to vote, which was not part of the original document. Race relations have been addressed, and progress has been made, although there is still much to do. Sexual orientation freedoms have been acknowledged which have improved the circumstances of many people.

Citizens of the United States have a right to take pride in the accomplishments of our country. We

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that, within the context of our constitution, each person is free to act, believe, and speak in accordance with her/his understanding.

On this July 4th Independence Day let us celebrate the gifts of our country.

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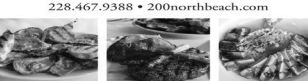
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Company, its successors and assigns which deed of trust is of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, state of Mississippi, on October 11, 2017, in Page 21705.

WHEREAS, PHH Mortgage Corporation, the current holder and/or assignee, Halliday, Watkins & Mann, P.C. as Trustee by instrument recorded in the Chancery Clerk's Office on May 23, 2022 in Book 2022, in Page 16028; and WHEREAS, Default having been made in the terms and conditions of said deed of trust and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust, PHH Mortgage Corporation, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee in said deed of trust, will on July 13, 2022 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the main front door of the County Courthouse of Hancock County in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash the following described property situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, to wit:

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY,

MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GABRIEL BRUNI, DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH1:22-cv-00250-JS

TODD BRUNI, PETITIONER
EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 26th day of May, 2022, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Gabriel Bruni, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.
THIS 15th day of June, 2022.

s/TODD BRUNI
PUBLISH: June 15, 2022; June 22, 2022; and June 29, 2022

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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 22-CV-215-JS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Administration having been granted on the day of 2022, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN, deceased; notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration, according to law, within ninety (90) days from date of this initial publication. Failure to probate and register any claims within said time will forever bar the said claims. THIS, the 7 day of June 2022 Alicia Dodds Rhoades Administrator
PUBLISH DATES 06/15/2022, 06/22/2022, 06/29/2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 22-CV-215-JS
UNKNOWN HEIRS OF TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN
PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMONS: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN, DECEASED and any and all persons or parties who are interested in or claim any right, title or interest as heirs of TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN,

Deceased, in the deceased's estate including, but not limited to, the unknown heirs-at-law of TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN, if they be living and not to be found therein after diligent search and inquiry and whose places of residence, post office, and street and house addresses are unknown after diligent street search and inquiry to ascertain the same, and if dead, their unknown devisees, executors, administrators or legal representatives who are not to be found after diligent search and inquiry, and whose places of residence, post offices, and street and house addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the same. You have been made Defendants in the estate proceeding filed in the Court by Alicia Dodds Rhoades, Administrator of the Estate, in her Petition.

IF TO BE FOUND IN THIS COUNTY, they are, to be and appear before the Honorable Schloegel of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, at a Court to be held at the Courthouse in Biloxi, Mississippi thereof on the 21st of July, 2022, 9:30 A.M. next, then and there to show cause, if any they can why Alicia Dodds Rhoades, should not be declared by the Court, to be the heir at law of TOMMIE JEAN RAYBURN, Deceased; and that the following persons are interested parties to this Petition for probate as best can be determined by the Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry, to wit: Alicia Dodds Rhoades and John Michael Dodds IV and to show why they should not be declared the heirs-at-law of the deceased; and further to do and suffer such things as shall be considered and ordered by the Court aforesaid in the premises, and have then and there this writ, with an endorsement thereon to the manner in which you shall have served.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR and defend against the Petition/Complaint filed against you in this action on the date and time as set forth hereinabove before the Honorable Schloegel at the Chancery Court of Hancock County, in Biloxi, Mississippi; and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Petition/Complaint. You are not required to file answer or other pleadings, but you may do so if you desire by filing a copy in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi, and mailing a copy to Tyler Alexander, attorney for Petitioner, whose address is 1016 Sixth Ave., STE A, Pica-yune, Mississippi 39466. WITNESS my hand and seal of said Court at Biloxi, Mississippi, this 8 day of June 2022. Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk
By: Cassie Tribble D.C.
Publish Dates: 06/15/2022, 06/22/2022, 06/29/2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF RUTH MAE SUMMERS, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 23CH1:22-cv-297-JP, SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION,
NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF RUTH MAE SUMMERS, DECEASED, WHO ARE UNKNOWN AFTER A DILIGENT SEARCH AND INQUIRY.
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 10th day of June, 2022, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the undersigned Executrix upon the ESTATE OF RUTH MAE SUMMERS, deceased, notice is hereby given to any and all persons or corporate entities having claims of this Court for probate and registration according to the law within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice or they will be forever barred. Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of June, 2022.
Hon. Timothy A. Kellar, By: Bridgette Ladner, Deputy Clerk
Chancery Court of Hancock County, MS. Dates of Publication 1.) 06/15/22 2.) 06/22/22 3.) 06/29/22
Eugene J. Hoffman, IV, Attorney at Law, MS Bar No. 104994
303 Reese Street, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, 228-323-3330 Tel.
Publish Dates: June 15, 2022, June 22, 2022, June 29, 2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARTHA M. POOLE
CAUSE NO. CHI:22-CV-180 MA
BY: CHERI ANN ACOSTA, ADMINISTRATRIX

RULE 81 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF MARTHA M. POOLE
You have been made a Defendant in a suit filed in this court by Cheri Ann Acosta initiating a civil action alleging that she and the others named in the complaint are the sole and only heirs at law of Martha M. Poole and seeking an adjudication of such heirship.
You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint filed against you in this action at 9:00 O'clock A.M. on the 25th day of July, 2022, at the Harrison County Chancery Court located at 1801 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.
Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this the 13th day of June, 2022.
Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County, Mississippi
By: CASSIE TRIBBLE Deputy Clerk
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MS BAR NO. 2435
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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY J. DOUSSAN, JR., DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 22-0293-CB
DAWN M. SACKETT PETITIONER
VERSUS
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OR DEVISEES, IF ANY, OF HENRY J. DOUSSAN, JR., DECEASED
SUMMONS
(Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)
TO: Unknown heirs at law of Henry J. Doussan, Jr., Deceased, whose residence is unknown. You have been made a Defendant in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Dawn M. Sackett, Administratrix. Defendants other than you in this action are: Dawn M. Sackett, Cheri A. Swartzendruber, Sidney J. Doussan, Jr. and Krystal G. Tastet.
The Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging and seeking to establish the unknown heirs at law of Henry J. Doussan, Jr.
You are summoned to appear and defend against said complaint or petition at 9:00 o'clock A. M. on the 26th day of July, 2022, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse at Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment by default will be entered against you for the money or other relief demanded in the complaint. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.
Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 14 day of June, 2022.
Tim Kellar, Chancery Clerk Hancock County, Mississippi
BY: Bridgette Ladner Deputy Clerk
Publication Dates: June 22, 2022, June 29, 2022 and July 6, 2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY HELEN BASS, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 23CH1:22-cv-304-CB
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters of Administration having been granted on the 14th day of June, 2022, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Mary Helen Bass, deceased, Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.
This 14th day of June, A.D., 2022.
ALEXANDER ANDREW DELI, ADMINISTRATOR
Caroline E. Haas, MS Bar No. 104525
Michael D. Haas, Jr., MS Bar No. 9051
Haas & Haas, Attorneys at Law
201 North Second Street
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520

T: (228) 467-6574
F: (228) 467-6575
Publish: 6/22/2022; 6/29/2022; 7/6/2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LEVERETTE L. SMITH, DECEASED
CAUSE NUMBER 22-CV-00281-JS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO THE CREDITORS OF LEVERETTE L. SMITH, DECEASED:

Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 10th day of June 2022 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executrix of the Estate of Leverette L. Smith, Deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate, to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law, within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.
RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED, this the 14th day of June 2022.
Audrey L. Smith, Executrix of the Estate of Leverette L. Smith, Deceased
Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 14th day of June 2022
Marsha Bahm NOTARY PUBLIC
Publish Dates: June 29, 2022, July 6, 2022, July 13, 2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARY HELEN BASS, DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH1:22-cv-304-CB SUMMONS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: HEIRS AT LAW OF MARY HELEN BASS, DECEASED
You have been made a Defendant in this suit filed in this Court by ALEXANDER ANDREW DELI, Administrator of the Estate of MARY HELEN BASS, deceased, seeking judicial declaration of the heirs at law of MARY HELEN BASS, deceased. The Defendants other than you in this action are: Alexander A. Deli, who is alleged to be the sole heir of the decedent. You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on July 26, 2022 in the Chancery Courtroom at the Harrison County Courthouse, 1801 23rd Avenue, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleadings but you may do so if you so desire.
ISSUED under my hand and seal of office, this the 15th day of June, 2022.
Timothy Kellar
Chancery Clerk
By: Bridgette Ladner Deputy Clerk
152 Main Street, Ste. A
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
(228) 467-5406
Caroline E. Haas, MS Bar No. 104525
Haas and Haas Attorneys
201 N. Second Street
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
T: (228) 467-6574
F: (228) 467-6575
Publish Dates: 6/22/2022; 6/29/2022; 7/6/2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY
MISSISSIPPI IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SHELLEY LYNN LOZANO DECEASED
CAUSE NO: 23CH1:22-CV-270-JS
CHARLES J. MCMAHON, EXECUTOR
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 27th day of May, 2022, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executor upon the Estate Shelley Lynn Lozano deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims of this Court for probate and registration according to the law within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice or they will be forever barred.



This 15th day of June, 2022.
Charles Joseph McMahon,
Executor
Dates of Publication: 6/22/2022,
6/29/2022, 7/6/2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI
FARREL BLAPPERT
PLAINTIFF VERSUS
CAUSE NO. 22-321
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; DIS-
COVER BANK A/K/A
DISCOVER PRODUCTS, INC.;
UNITES STATES
INTERNAL REVENUE SER-
VICE; ALL OTHER PERSONS,
FIRMS AND CORPORATIONS
HAVING OR
CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR
EQUITABLE
INTEREST IN THE DE-
SCRIBED LAND LOCATED IN
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI, WHICH
MATURED TO THE STATE OF
MISSISSIPPI
FOR THE 2007 HANCOCK
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AD
VALOREM TAXES VIZ: BLK
13 18-21 & 26-29 B
PARCEL/PPIN: 137P235038000
HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI DEFENDANTS
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: STATE OF MISSISSIPPI;
DISCOVER BANK A/K/A
DISCOVER PRODUCTS, INC.;
UNITES STATES
INTERNAL REVENUE SER-
VICE; ALL OTHER PERSONS,
FIRMS AND CORPORATIONS
HAVING OR
CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR
EQUITABLE
INTEREST IN THE DE-
SCRIBED LAND LOCATED IN
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI, WHICH
MATURED TO THE STATE OF
MISSISSIPPI
FOR THE 2007 HANCOCK
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AD
VALOREM TAXES VIZ: BLK
13 18-21 & 26-29 B
PARCEL/PPIN: 137P235038000
HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI
NOTICE

This is a suit by Farrel Blappert,
to quiet and confirm title in
himself to that certain property
legally described as:
BLK 13 18-21 & 26-29 B
PARCEL/PPIN: 137P235038000
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI
The above being property
acquired by Farrel Blappert, by
virtue of that certain Quitclaim
Deed granted by Edward D.
Murtagh dated February 16, 2017
and recorded on May 9, 2017 in
Book 2017 at Page 4950 in the
Office of the Chancery Clerk of
Hancock County, Mississippi.
Edward D. Murtagh purchased
the subject property from the
State of Mississippi and was
granted a STATE OF MISSIS-
SIPPI FORFEITED TAX LAND
PATENT NO. 78016, dated July
2, 2009 and recorded on August
3, 2009 in Deed Book 2009 at
Pages 8986 in the Office of the
aforesaid Chancery Clerk.
If you have a legal or equita-
ble claim or interest in the real
property or personal property con-
tained therein, you are required
to mail or hand-deliver a copy of
your response to the Complaint to
Quiet and Confirm Title and For
Other Relief to the attorney for
the Plaintiffs, Lewie G. Negrotto
IV, Esq., whose physical address is
220 East Scenic Drive, Suite L,
Pass Christian, Mississippi 39571.
YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE
MAILED OR DELIVERED
WITHIN THIRTY DAYS FROM
THE 22nd day of June 2022,
WHICH IS THE DATE OF
FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS
SUMMONS. IF YOUR RE-
SPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED
OR DELIVERED, A JUDG-
MENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE
ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR
THE RELIEF DEMANDED IN
THE COMPLAINT.
You must also file the original
of your Response with the Clerk
of this Court within a reasonable
time afterward. The address of
the Clerk of this Court is 152
Main Street, Ste. A, Bay St. Lou-
is, MS 39520.
Tim Kellar, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County, Mississippi
DATED: 6-15-2022
BY: Ashley Holland DEPUTY
COURT CLERK
Publish For (3) times: June 22,
2022 June 29, 2022 July 6,
2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE
ESTATE OF BARRY CHARLES
EMMONS SR., DECEASED
CAUSE NO.:23CHI:19-cv-
00566-MA
BY: ALYSHIA EMMONS
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: "LAWFUL HEIRS OF
BARRY CHARLES EMMONS,
SR. DECEASED," and an all
absent or unknown Defendants,
this cause shall be proceeded with
as other causes in chancery, and
upon satisfactory evidence as to
death of said person and as to the
fact that the parties to said suit
are his sole heirs at law, the court
shall enter a judgment that the
persons so described be recog-
nized as the heirs at law of such a
decendent, and as such be placed in

possession of his estate. And said
judgment shall be evidence in all
the courts of law and equity in
this state that the persons therein
named are the sole heirs at law of
the person therein described as
their ancestor.

TAKE NOTICE that a hearing
will be held in the Chancery
Court of Hancock County Court-
house, 152 Main St. Bay St. Lou-
is, Mississippi 39520, on 22nd
day of August, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.,
and at said hearing you should
appear and show cause, if any you
can, why the relief sought by the
Plaintiff should not be granted by
the Court. Failure to appear at the
time and place mentioned may
result in a judgment against you
for the relief demanded.
You are not required to file an
answer or other pleading, but you
may do so if you desire.
NOTICE TO ALL UNKNOWN
CREDITORS OF BARRY
CHARLES EMMONS, SR.
DECEASED:
Letters of Administration having
been granted on 19th day of
September, 2019 by the Chancery
Court of Hancock County, Miss-
issippi, to Alyshia Emons upon the
Estate of Barry Charles Em-
mons, deceased, notice is hereby
given to all persons having claims
against said estate to present the
same to the Clerk of said Court
for probate and registry according
to law within 60 days from the
date of the first publication of this
Notice, or they will be forever
barred.
Issued under my hand and seal
of said Court, this the 2nd day of
June, 2022.
TIMOTHY A. KELLER, CHAN-
CERY CLERK
HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSIS-
SIPPI
By: CASSIE TRIBBLE D.C.
ISSUED AT THE INSTANCE
OF:
Prepared By:
EDWARD GIBSON, ESQ., MSB
NO. 100640
GIBSON LAW, P.A.
544 Main Street
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
Ph: (228) 467-4225; Fax: (228)
467-4212
Email: edward@gibsonlawpa.
com
Publish Dates: June 22, 2022,
June 29, 2022, July 6, 2022.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID
The Hancock County Utility
Authority will receive sealed bids
no later than 10:00 a.m., Local
Time, Tuesday, July 26, 2022, at
the Hancock County Utility Au-
thority Office, 401 Gulfside St.,
Waveland, MS 39576. All bids so
received will be publicly opened
and the bid amount read aloud for
the following project:
Equipment – Grinder Pump
Package for the Atlantic Street
Sewer Improvements Project
The scope of work for this bid so-
licitation shall consist primarily of
supplying complete grinder pump
packages for the Atlantic Street
Sewer Improvements Project.
The Hancock County Utility Au-
thority, hereby notified all Bidders
that it will affirmatively insure
that in any contract entered into
pursuant to this Advertisement,
Disadvantaged and Women's
Business Enterprises will be
afforded the full opportunity to
submit bids in response to this
invitation and will not be discrim-
inated against on the grounds of
race, color or national origin in
consideration for an award.
Chiniche Engineering & Sur-
veying
407 Hwy 90
Bay Saint Louis, MS 39520
Hancock County Utility Authority
401 Gulfside Street
Waveland, MS 39576
The Contract Documents, in-
cluding Technical Specifications,
are on file and may be examined
without charge at the following
locations:
Bid Packages are being made
available via hard copy or digital
download. Plan Holders are
required to log-in or register
for an account to view or order
bid documents at https://www.
phbidding.co/ Bid documents
are non-refundable and must be
purchased through the website.
Questions regarding website
registration and online orders
are to contact the Plan House at
(228) 248-0181. No partial sets of
drawings or project manuals will
be issued. No contract documents
(hard copies or electronic copies)
will be issued to Contractors
within twenty-four (24) hours of
the time indicated above for
receiving bids.
The required documents shall be
submitted in a sealed envelope
and the outside of the envelope
shall be marked plainly as: Equip-
ment – Grinder Pump Package
for the Atlantic Street Sewer
Improvements Project.
Bids shall be deposited with the
Hancock County Utility Authority
office at 401 Gulfside St., Wave-
land, MS 39576 or for those in-
terested, bids can be submitted at
https://www.phbidding.co/ under
the project page, prior to the hour
and date designated above. No
oral, telegraphic, telephonic, or
e-mail proposals shall be consid-
ered. All interpretations of speci-
fications shall be directed to Jason
Chiniche at Chiniche Engineering
& Surveying by email to: jason@
jjc-eng.com. An acknowledged
received copy of all Addenda
issued by the Engineer via Plan

House must be included with
the bid proposal. No bidder may
withdraw his bid within sixty (60)
days after the date of actual bid
opening without Owner's consent.
The Owner reserves the right to
reject any or all bids and to waive
any or all informalities.
Work to be performed shall be in
accordance with all Federal, State
and Local Regulations and Codes.
Approved by the order of the
Hancock County Utility Authority
District Board of Directors, this
the 2nd day of June 2022.
The Hancock County Utility
Authority
Hancock County, Mississippi
PUBLISH:
1st Advertisement Date: June
22, 2022
2nd Advertisement Date: June
29, 2022

SECTION 00090
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
NOTICE: Bidders
Sealed Bids will be received by
the HANCOCK COUNTY PORT
& HARBOR COMMISSION at
14054 Fred & Al Key Road, Kiln,
MS, until 9:00 AM, Tuesday, July
12th, 2022, and shortly thereafter
opened and read for:
HANCOCK COUNTY PORT
& HARBOR COMMISSION
GRASS MAINTENANCE &
LANDSCAPING CONTRACT
The Hancock County Port & Har-
bor Commission is advertising for
a grass maintenance / landscap-
ing contractor that will provide
landscape, maintenance, and grass
maintenance services for (5) Five
to (7) Seven locations within
HCPHC Airport Operations and
Port Bienville Operations. Addi-
tional sites may be added or re-
moved at HCPHC discretion, but
with complete inclusion of vendor
at a negotiated price for additional
or retracted proposed services.
Services shall include furnishing
all tools, equipment, services, ap-
paratus, facilities, transportation,
labor, permits, disposal, and mate-
rials necessary and reasonably
incidental to perform the specified
items of work. Note: There is no
Maintenance of any irrigation sys-
tems (Pre-Existing or otherwise)
required. However, maintenance
of all landscaping in an attractive
and healthy condition including
watering, if needed, will be the
responsibility of the Contractor.
A copy of the contract with scope
of work can be found online at
www.portairspacework.com.
Sealed paper bids may be sub-
mitted to the Hancock County
Port & Harbor Commission at
14054 Fred & Al Key Road, Kiln,
MS. Bids may also be submitted
electronically. When bids are sub-
mitted electronically, the same re-
quirements for submitting sealed
bids shall apply. Electronic bids
shall be submitted online at www.
portairspacework.com and shall
include a document on the first
page stating the same language
required on the face of the sealed
envelope. For any questions
relating to the electronic bidding
process, please call Plan House
Printing at 662-407-0193.
A Pre-Bid Conference has been
scheduled for 9:00 AM, Friday,
July 8th, 2022 at the Hancock
County Port & Harbor Commis-
sion Administration Building
located at 14054 Fred & Al Key
Road, Kiln, Mississippi, 39532.
The right is reserved by the
Owner to reject any or all bids,
to waive any informalities, and
to award the Contract to serve
the best interest of the Owner. By
submitting a proposal, each bid-
der waives any and all claims for
damages against the Owner con-
cerning any failure or decision of
the Owner to not accept the bid.
The Owner may choose to award
the base bid alone or base bid and
any combination of alternates.
Minority and women's business
enterprises are solicited to bid on
this contract as prime contractors
and are encouraged to make
inquiries regarding potential
subcontracting opportunities,
equipment, materials and/or
supply needs.
The Hancock County Port & Har-
bor Commission hereby notifies
all Bidders that it will affirma-
tively ensure that in any contract
entered into pursuant to this
advertisement, disadvantaged and
women's business enterprises will
be afforded the full opportunity
to submit bids in response to this
invitation and will not be discrim-
inated against on the grounds of
race, color, or national origin in
consideration for an award.
Authorized Representative of
Hancock County
Port & Harbor Commission
William Cotter, CEO
Publish in the Sea Coast Echo and
Clarion Ledger On
June 29, 2022 & July 6, 2022.

I, Amit Tidke, and we, the
members of AAM Brothers LLC.,
intend to make application for an
On-Premise Retailer permit as
provided for by the Local Option
Alcoholic Beverage Control
Laws, §67-1-1, et seq., of the
Mississippi Code of 1972, An-
notated. If granted such permit,
I or we propose to operate as a
limited liability company under the
tradename of Indian Paradise,
located at 809 Hwy. 90, Bay St.
Louis in Hancock County. The
name(s), title(s), and address(es)
of the owner(s)/partners/corporate
officer(s) and/or majority stock-
holder(s)/member(s)/trustee of the

above name business are: Amit
Tidke, 407 St. John Street, Bay
St. Louis, MS; Amit Patil, 407 St.
John Street, Bay St. Louis, MS;
and Mayur Nilakh, 407 St. John
Street, Bay St. Louis, MS. If any
person wishes to request a hearing
to object to the issuance of this
permit, a request for a hearing
must be made in writing and
received by the Department of
Revenue within (15) fifteen days
from the first date this notice was
published. Requests shall be sent to:
Chief Counsel, Legal Division
Department of Revenue P.O. Box
22828 Jackson, MS 39225 Date
of first publication: 06/29/2022
This the 22 day of June, 2022.
06/29/2022, 07/06/2022

IN THE CHANCERY COURT
OF HANCOCK COUNTY MIS-
SISSIPPI IN THE ESTATE OF
SOREN PEDERSEN, DECEAS
ED CIVIL
ACTION NO. 22-314(MA)
JENS PEDERSEN, ADMINIS-
TRATOR
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that Letters
of Administration on the Estate of
Soren Pedersen, deceased, were
granted to the undersigned by
the Chancery Court of Hancock
County, Mississippi, on the 22nd
day of June, 2022, and all persons
having claim against said Estate
are hereby notified to present their
claims to the Clerk of said Court
and to have them probated and
allowed within ninety days from
the date of the first publication of
this notice, failure to do so will
bar the claim.
This the 23rd day of June, 2022.
Jens Pedersen as Administrator
of the Estate of Soren Pedersen
Salloum Law Firm, PLLC
By: /s/ Teal Sal-
loum
Kaleel "Teal" Salloum, Jr.,
Attorney
for the Estate of Soren Pedersen
SALLOUM LAW FIRM, PLLC
Ms. Bar No. 9195
Post Office Box 1717
Gulfport, Mississippi 39502
(228) 863-6727
Publish Dates: June 29, 2022,
July 6, 2022, July 13, 2022

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUN-
TY OF Hancock
WHEREAS, on the 22nd day
of November, 2002, James P.
Osborn, an unmarried person,
executed and delivered a certain
Deed of Trust unto Steven K.
Olson, Trustee for Mortgage
Electronic Registration Systems,
Inc. as nominee for Principal
Residential Mortgage, Inc., Bene-
ficiary, to secure an indebtedness
therein described, which Deed of
Trust is recorded in the office of
the Chancery Clerk of Hancock
County, Mississippi in Mortgages
and Deeds of Trust on Land Re-
cord Book 728 at Page 418; and
WHEREAS, on the 4th day
of March, 2019, the Holder of
said Deed of Trust filed a Loan
Modification Agreement of Deed
of Trust by instrument recorded
in the office of the aforesaid
Chancery Clerk of Court in Deed
of Trust Book 2019 at Page 4284;
and
WHEREAS, by various assign-
ments on record said Deed of
Trust was ultimately assigned to
GSMS 2021-1 Trust by instru-
ment recorded in the office of
the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in
Deed of Trust Book 2022 at Page
18937 ; and
WHEREAS, on the 26th day of
May, 2021 the Holder of said
Deed of Trust substituted and
appointed Dean Morris, LLC as
Substitute Trustee by instru-
ment recorded in the office of
the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in
Deed of Trust Book 2021 at Page
18345; and
WHEREAS, default having been
made in the payments of the
indebtedness secured by the said
Deed of Trust, and the holder of
said Deed of Trust, having re-
quested the undersigned so to do,
on the 20th day of July, 2022, I
will during the lawful hours of be-
tween 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.,
at public outcry, offer for sale and
will sell, at the front door of the
Hancock County courthouse L,
152 Main Street, Suite A at the
north facing front door at Bay St.
Louis, Mississippi, for cash to the
highest bidder, the following de-
scribed land and property situated
in Hancock County, Mississippi,
to-wit:
Lot 1 and 2, Block 631, Shoreline
Park Subdivision, Unit 6, Addi-
tion 4, Hancock County, Missis-
sippi, per plat thereof on file in
the office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, Mississippi.
I will only convey such title as
is vested in me as Substitute
Trustee.
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE,
this 23rd day of June, 2022.
Dean Morris, LLC
Substitute Trustee
855 S Pear Orchard Rd., Ste. 404,
Bldg. 400
Ridgeland, MS 39157
(318) 330-9020
adp/F18-0796
PUBLISH: 6-29-2022 / 7-6-2022
/ 7-13-2022

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE WHEREAS,
on November 26, 2013, Ricke R.
Copenhaver, an unmarried man
executed a certain deed of trust to
Landmark Title & Escrow, Trust-

ee for the benefit of Mortgage
Electronic Registration Systems,
Inc. as beneficiary, as nominee
for Assurance Financial Group,
LLC, its successors and assigns
which deed of trust is of record in
the office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, State of
Mississippi in Book 2013 at Page
29773; and WHEREAS, LLG MS
LLC has heretofore been substi-
tuted as Trustee by instrument
dated May 25, 2022 and recorded
in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's
Office in Book 2022 at Page
16889; and WHEREAS, default
having been made in the terms
and conditions of said deed of
trust and the entire debt secured
thereby having been declared to
be due and payable in accordance
with the terms of said deed of
trust, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., the
legal holder of said indebtedness,
having requested the undersigned
Substituted Trustee to execute
the trust and sell said land and
property in accordance with the
terms of said deed of trust and
for the purpose of raising the
sums due thereunder, together
with attorney's fees, trustee's
fees and expense of sale. NOW,
THEREFORE, I, LLG MS LLC,
Substituted Trustee in said deed
of trust, will on July 20, 2022
offer for sale at public outcry
and sell within legal hours (being
between the hours of 11:00 a.m.
and 4:00 p.m.), at the front door
of the County Courthouse at 152
Main St., Bay St. Louis, MS,
to the highest and best bidder
for cash or certified funds the
following described property
situated in Hancock County,
State of Mississippi, to-wit: Lot
4, SPANISH COVE SUBDI-
VISION, Waveland, Hancock
County, Mississippi, as per plat
of said subdivision of record in
the office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, Mississippi.
I WILL CONVEY only such title
as vested in me as Substituted
Trustee. WITNESS MY SIG-
NATURE on this day of , 2022.
LLG MS LLC SUBSTITUTED
TRUSTEE LOGS Legal Group
LLP 1080 River Oaks Drive,
Suite B-202 Flowood, MS 39232
(601) 981-9299 107 Spanish Cv
Waveland, MS 39576 22-027893
Publication Dates: June 29, 2022,
July 6, 2022, and July 13, 2022

TRUSTEE'S NOTICE TO
CREDITORS OF MARY MUIR
ALLEN, DECEASED
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUN-
TY OF Hancock
I, SANDRA POWER, duly au-
thorized Co-Trustee of the MARY
MUIR ALLEN TRUST dated
September 1, 1994 and Amended
and Restated on January 24, 2001,
as amended, hereby give notice to
all persons having claims against
MARY MUIR ALLEN, now
deceased, to present the same
to the undersigned C/O Haas &
Haas Attorneys, 201 N. Second
Street, Bay Saint Louis, MS
39520 according to law. Failure
to present the claim against the
decendent to the Co-Trustee within
ninety (90) days of the date after
the first publication of the notice
will forever bar the claim.
This the 27th day of June, 2022.
s/SANDRA POWER,
CO-TRUSTEE
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
THAT THE PLANNING AND
ZONING COMMISSION WILL
HOLD A SPECIAL PUBLIC
HEARING ON MONDAY, JULY
18TH, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M. TO
CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:
THIS IS ALSO NOTIFICATION
THAT THE PLANING AND
ZONING COMMISSION IS A
RECOMMENDING COMMISS-
SION ONLY. THE WAVELAND
BOARD OF ALDERMAN WILL
CONSIDER FINAL APPROV-
AL OF THE PLANNING AND
ZONING COMMISSION ON
WEDNESDAY, JULY 20TH,
2022 AT 6:30 PM.
Note: All Meetings are being held
in-person in the Mayor and Board
of Alderman Board Room located
on the 1st Floor of City Hall, 301
Coleman Avenue, Waveland, MS
39676.
DANE & PAULA DUCET,
OWNERS OF THE PROPERTY
COMMONLY KNOWN AS 120
FAVRE ST, HAVE MADE AN
APPLICATION FOR BOTH
SIDE YARD SETBACK RE-
QUIREMENTS OF 12' 6" FOR A
LOT WITH FRONTAGE OF 50'
OR LESS. THE REQUESTED
VARIANCES ARE FOR 2' 6"
ON BOTH SIDES, RESULTING
IN 10' SIDE YARD SETBACKS.
THE APPLICANT IS ALSO
REQUESTING A FRONT YARD
SETBACK OF 5', RESULTING
IN A FRONT SETBACK OF 20'
FROM THE FRONT PROPER-
TY LINE.
GASTON GALJOUR, OWNER
OF THE PROPERTY COM-
MONLY KNOWN AS 148
FAVRE ST, HAS MADE AN AP-
PLICATION FOR BOTH SIDE
YARD SETBACK REQUIRE-
MENTS OF 12' 6" FOR A LOT
WITH FRONTAGE OF 50' OR
LESS TO HAVE RECORDED
ON A PRE-EXISTING HOUSE.

THE REQUESTED SIDE YARD
VARIANCES ARE FOR 2' 6"
ON BOTH SIDES RESULTING
IN 10' SIDE YARD SETBACKS.
LIONEL BERNARD, OWNER
OF THE PROPERTY COM-
MONLY KNOWN AS 228 S.
BEACH BLVD, HAS MADE AN
APPLICATION FOR VARIANC-
ES FOR BOTH SIDE YARD
SETBACK REQUIREMENTS
OF 15'. THE VARIANCE RE-
QUEST FOR THE WEST SIDE
YARD IS 1' 8", RESULTING IN
A SIDE YARD OF 13' 4". THE
VARIANCE REQUEST FOR
THE EAST SIDE YARD IS 3' 8",
RESULTING IN A SIDE YARD
OF 11' 4".
NOTICED IS HEREBY GIVEN
THAT THE PLANNING AND
ZONING COMMISSION WILL
HOLD A SPECIAL PUBLIC
HEARING ON MONDAY, JULY
18TH, 2022 AT 6:00 P.M. TO
CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING:
THE WAVELAND BOARD OF
ALDERMAN WILL CONSIDER
FINAL APPROVAL OF THE
PLANNING AND ZONING
COMMISSION RECOMMEN-
DATIONS ON TUESDAY, AU-
GUST 2ND, 2022 AT 6:30 PM.
DONALD DUPLANTIER,
OWNER OF THE PROPERTY
COMMONLY KNOWN AS
140 ANGEL LN, HAS MADE
AN APPLICATION FOR THE
TEMPORARY USE OF AN RV
DURING NEW CONSTRUC-
TION. THE RV WILL BE
PLACED ON THE PROPERTY
AFTER THE FOUNDATION IS
IN PLACE PER REGULATIONS
OF ORD. #349 SEC 309.5. THE
NEW CONSTRUCTION PER-
MIT HAS BEEN ISSUED.
MARK HINTERLANG,
OWNER OF THE PROPERTY
COMMONLY KNOWN AS
214 S. CENTRAL AVE, HAS
MADE AN APPLICATION FOR
TWO VARIANCES. A FRONT
YARD VARIANCE OF THREE
(3) FEET IN ORDER TO BE
TWENTY-TWO (22) FEET
FROM THE FRONT PROP-
ERTY LINE & A REAR YARD
VARIANCE OF FOURTEEN
(14) FEET IN ORDER TO BE
ELEVEN (11) FROM THE
REAR PROPERTY LINE.
SUE JOHNSON, OWNER OF
PROPERTY PARCEL #138M-
0-33-088.002 ON HURON ST,
HAS MADE AN APPLICATION
FOR VARIANCES IN ORDER
TO SPLIT HER PARCEL INTO
TWO (2) NON-CONFORMING
BUILDABLE PROPERTIES.
THE VARIANCES ARE FOR
THE STREET FRONAGES
AS WELL AS SQUARE FOOT
REQUIREMENTS OF ZONING
ORD. 349 SEC 701: AREA,
YARD, & HEIGHT REQUIRE-
MENTS FOR R-1 SINGLE
FAMILY RESIDENTIAL
DISTRICT. SHE IS REQUEST-
ING SEVENTY-FIVE (75) FEET
FRONTAGE & 7,500 SQUARE
FEET OF AREA ON BOTH
PROPERTIES.
JARED RIECKE, OWNER OF
THE PROPERTY COMMONLY
KNOWN AS 118 AUDERER
BLVD, HAS MADE A CONDI-
TIONAL USE APPLICATION
FOR THE PROPOSAL OF A
MEDICAL CANNABIS CULTI-
VATION FACILITY. THE USE
OF THE BUILDING WILL BE
A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN
COAST CANNA DISPENSARY
& COAST CANNA-ZENLABS
PROCESSING CENTER.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No.
22-300-MA
Notice is hereby given that Let-
ters Testamentary on the Estate
of Glenda H. Pearson, Deceased,
were granted to the undersigned
by the Chancery Court of Han-
cock County, Mississippi on June
24, 2022, and all persons having
claims against said estate are
hereby notified to present their
claims to the Clerk of said Court
and to have them probated and
allowed within ninety (90) days
from the date of the first publica-
tion of this notice, failure to do so
will bar the claim.
This the 27th day of May, 2022.
William Brent Pearson, Executor
Henry N. Dick, Esq.
PAGE, MANNING, PERESICH &
MCDERMOTT, P.L.L.C.
Post Office Drawer 289
Biloxi, MS 39533
(228) 374-2100
Publish Dates: June 29, 2022,
July 6, 2022, and July 13, 2022.

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on April 4, 2013,
Robert E. Mehan, unmarried
executed a certain deed of trust
to Jeffrey Wagner, Trustee for the
benefit of Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.
which deed of trust is of record in
the office of the Chancery Clerk
of Hancock County, State of
Mississippi in Book 2013 at Page
9188; and
WHEREAS, LLG MS LLC has
heretofore been substituted as
Trustee by instrument dated May
16, 2022 and recorded in the
aforesaid Chancery Clerk's Office
in Book 2022 at Page 15676; and
WHEREAS, default having been
made in the terms and conditions
of said deed of trust and the entire
debt secured thereby having been
declared to be due and payable in
accordance with the terms of said
deed of trust, Wells Fargo Bank,
N.A., the legal holder of said in-
debtedness, having requested the
undersigned Substituted Trustee
to execute the trust and sell said

land and property in accordance with the terms of said deed of trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, trustee's fees and expense of sale. NOW, THEREFORE, I, LLG MS LLC, Substituted Trustee in said deed of trust, will on July 6, 2022 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.), at the front door of the County Courthouse at 152 Main St., Bay St. Louis, MS, to the highest and best bidder for cash or certified funds the following described property situated in Hancock County, State of Mississippi, to-wit: The following described real property located in County of Hancock, State of Mississippi; being more particularly described as follows: ALL that certain piece or portion of ground, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes, appurtenances and advantages thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, situated in Hancock County, Mississippi and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lots 33,34,35, and 36, Gulfside Sites Subdivision, Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per official plat thereof on file in the Office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. Indexing Instructions: Lots 33, 34, 35, and 36 Gulfside Sites Subdivision, Hancock County, Mississippi. BEING the same property conveyed to Robert E. Mehan by deed from Brent Allen Merilson and Kelly-Jo Hersch Merilson, recorded November 8, 2002 in Book BB253, Page 448, public records of Hancock County, Mississippi. Property Address: 815 Saint Joseph Street, Waveland, MS 39576 APN: 162A-0-03-004.000 I WILL CONVEY only such title as vested in me as Substituted Trustee. WITNESS MY SIGNATURE on this 20th day of May, 2022. LLG MS LLC SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE LOGS Legal Group LLP 1080 River Oaks Drive, Suite B-202 Flowood, MS 39232 (601) 981-9299 815 Saint Joseph St Waveland, MS 39576 22-027886 Publication Dates: 05/25/22, 06/08/22, 06/15/22, 06/22/22, 06/29/22

There came on for consideration the matter of providing financing for various capital improvements for the City of Diamondhead, Mississippi, and after a discussion of the subject matter, Councilperson Clark offered and moved the adoption of the following resolution: RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIAMONDHEAD, MISSISSIPPI (the "city"), TO EITHER ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF THE CITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH Section 21-33-301 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended and supplemented (THE "CITY BOND ACT"), ISSUE A GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND OF THE CITY FOR SALE TO THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK OR ENTER INTO A LOAN WITH THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT BANK, ALL IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED Six MILLION DOLLARS (\$6,000,000) to raise money for the purpose of (i) constructing, maintaining, reconstructing, improving, and repairing roads and streets and acquiring rights-of-way therefore if necessary; (ii) erecting, repairing, improving, extending or maintaining waterworks or water distribution systems, and repairing, improving, and extending the same; (iii) establishing erecting, repairing, improving, extending or maintaining sanitary, storm, drainage or sewerage systems; (iv) constructing, maintaining, reconstructing, improving, and repairing bridges and culverts; and (v) for purposes authorized by Section 31-25-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended and supplemented, (the "Bank Act" and, together with the City Bond Act, the "Act"), including funding capitalized interest, if necessary, and (vi) for other authorized purposes under the Act, including paying for costs of borrowing (collectively, the "City Bond Project"); AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES. WHEREAS, the City Council (the "Governing Body") of the City of Diamondhead, Mississippi (the "City"), acting for and on behalf of the City, is authorized by Sections 21-33-301 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended and supplemented from time to time (the "City Bond Act"), to issue general obligation bonds for the purposes set forth therein, including, but not limited to, (i) constructing, maintaining, reconstructing, improving, and repairing roads and streets and acquiring rights-of-way therefore if necessary; (ii) erecting, repairing, improving, extending or maintaining waterworks or water distribution systems, and repairing, improving and extending the

same; (iii) establishing erecting, repairing, improving, extending or maintaining sanitary, storm, drainage or sewerage systems; (iv) constructing, maintaining, reconstructing, improving, and repairing bridges and culverts; and (v) for purposes authorized by Section 31-25-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended and supplemented, (the "Bank Act" and, together with the City Bond Act, the "Act"), including funding capitalized interest, if necessary, and (vi) for other authorized purposes under the Act, including paying for costs of borrowing (collectively, the "City Bond Project") and WHEREAS, the Governing Body, acting for and on behalf of the City, is also authorized under the Bank Act, and other applicable laws of the State, to (a) issue a general obligation bond of the City to be sold to the Mississippi Development Bank (the "Bank") to finance the costs of the City Bond Project, or (b) enter into a loan or loans with the Bank to borrow money to finance the costs of the City Bond Project; and WHEREAS, the City Bond Project is in accordance with and in furtherance of the provisions of the Act; and WHEREAS, the Governing Body is authorized pursuant to the Act to provide funding for the costs of the Project either through the issuance of (a) general obligation bonds of the City in a total aggregate principal amount of not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000) (the "Bonds"), (b) a general obligation bond of the City to be sold to the Bank in a total aggregate principal amount of not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000) (the "City Bond"), or (c) by entering into a loan or loans with the Bank to borrow money from the Bank in a total principal amount not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000) (the "Loan"); and WHEREAS, the assessed value of all taxable property within the City, according to the last completed assessment for taxation, was Ninety Four Million Nine Hundred Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$94,963,200), and the City had outstanding bonded and floating indebtedness as subject to the fifteen percent (15%) debt limit prescribed by Section 21-33-303 of the City Bond Act, as amended, in the amount of Zero Dollars (\$0), and outstanding bonded and floating indebtedness as subject to the twenty percent (20%) debt limit prescribed by Section 21-33-303 of the City Bond Act, in the amount of Zero Dollars (\$0); and WHEREAS, the Bonds, the City Bond or the Loan, when added to the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the City, will not result in bonded indebtedness, exclusive of indebtedness not subject to the aforesaid fifteen percent (15%) debt limit, of more than fifteen percent (15%) of the assessed value of all taxable property within the City, will not result in indebtedness, both bonded and floating, exclusive of indebtedness not subject to the aforesaid twenty percent (20%) debt limit prescribed by Section 21-33-303 of the City Bond Act, in excess of twenty percent (20%) of the assessed value of all taxable property within the City, and will not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitation upon indebtedness which may be incurred by the City; and WHEREAS, there has been no increase in said bonded and floating general obligation indebtedness of the City since the date of this resolution; and WHEREAS, it would be in the best interest of the City for the Governing Body to provide funding for the costs of the City Bond Project by borrowing money through the issuance of the Bonds or the City Bond or by entering into the Loan; and WHEREAS, the City reasonably expects that it will incur expenditures in connection with the Project for which the City intends to reimburse itself with the proceeds of the Bonds, the City Bond or the Loan; and WHEREAS, the Governing Body is authorized and empowered by the City Bond Act and/or the Bank Act to issue the Bonds or the City Bond or to enter into the Loan for the purposes herein set forth and there are no other available funds on hand or available from regular sources of income for such purposes. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY, ACTING FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, AS FOLLOWS: SECTION 1. The Governing Body, acting for and on behalf of the City, hereby declares its intention to either (a) issue and sell the Bonds pursuant to the City Bond Act in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000), (b) issue and sell the City Bond to the Bank pursuant to the Act in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000), or (c) enter into the Loan with the Bank pursuant to the Act in a principal amount not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000). SECTION 2. The Bonds or the City Bond will be issued, or the

Loan will be entered into for the purpose of financing the City Bond Project, as authorized by the Act. SECTION 3. The Bonds or the City Bond may be issued in one or more series and, if issued, will be general obligations of the City payable as to principal and interest out of and secured by an irrevocable pledge of the avails of a direct and continuing tax to be levied annually without limitation as to time, rate or amount upon all the taxable property within the geographical limits of the City. The Loan will be payable from available revenues of the City and will not constitute an indebtedness of the City within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory restrictions, limitations, or provisions, and the taxing power of the City will not be pledged to the payment of the Loan. SECTION 4. The Governing Body proposes to direct the issuance of all or any portion of the Bonds or the City Bond or to authorize the Loan in the amount and for the purposes and secured as aforesaid at a meeting of the Governing Body to be held at its usual meeting place located at the City Hall in the City, located at 5000 Diamondhead Circle, Diamondhead, Mississippi, at the hour of 6:00 o'clock p.m. on July 19, 2022, or at some meeting or meetings subsequent thereto; provided, however, that if ten percent (10%) or Fifteen Hundred (1500), whichever is less, of the qualified electors of the City shall file a written protest with the City Clerk against the issuance of the Bonds or the City Bond or the authorization of the Loan on or before the aforesaid date and hour, then the Bonds or the City Bond shall not be issued or the Loan shall not be entered into unless approved at an election on the question thereof called and held as is provided by law; provided, further that if no protest is filed, then the Bonds or the City Bond may be issued and sold in one or more series or the City may enter into the Loan without an election on the question of the issuance thereof at any time within a period of two (2) years after July 19, 2022. In full compliance with the City Bond Act, the City Clerk is hereby directed to (i) publish a copy of this resolution once a week for at least three (3) consecutive weeks in The Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper published in Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, and having a general circulation in the City and qualified under the provisions of Section 13-3-31, Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, with the first publication being not less than twenty-one (21) days prior to the date set forth in Section 4 of this resolution, and the last publication being made not more than seven (7) days prior to such date; and (ii) post a copy of this resolution in at least three (3) public places within the City for at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the date set forth in Section 4 of this resolution. SECTION 5. The City Clerk is hereby directed to procure from the publisher of the aforesaid newspaper the customary proof of the publication of this resolution and the required notice and have the same before the Governing Body on the date and hour specified in Section 4 hereof. SECTION 6. The City hereby declares its official intent to reimburse itself from the proceeds of the Bonds, the City Bond or the Loan for expenses incurred with respect to the Project subsequent to the date of this resolution. This resolution is intended as a declaration of official intent under Treasury Regulation 1.150-2. The Bonds, the City Bond or the Loan will not exceed the aggregate principal amount of Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000). SECTION 7. If any one or more of the provisions of this resolution shall for any reason be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any of the other provisions of this resolution, but this resolution shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provision or provisions had not been contained herein. Councilperson Maher seconded the motion to adopt the foregoing resolution, and the question being put to a roll call vote, the result was as follows: Mayor Nancy Depreo voted: Aye Councilperson Gerard Maher voted: Aye Councilperson Shane Finley voted: Aye Councilperson Anna Liese voted: Aye Councilperson John Cumberland voted: Aye Councilperson Charles S. Clark voted: Aye The motion having received the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Governing Body present, being a quorum of the Governing Body, the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution adopted this 7th day of June 2022. Nancy Depreo, Mayor City of Diamondhead, Mississippi ATTEST: Jeannie Klein, City Clerk City of Diamondhead, Mississippi PUBLISH: June 22, 2022, June 29, 2022, July 6, 2022 and July 13, 2022

Change a Child's Story -- Become A CASA

SEA COAST ECHO

CASA of Hancock County is a non-profit 501 (c)3 organization that advocates for Hancock County's abused and neglected children by recruiting, training, and supporting a diverse network of Court Appointed Special Advocate volunteers who promote safety, permanency, and resilience.

Our vision is one where all children thrive in safe and nurturing families. There are currently 35 children waiting for a CASA of their own to help make a difference in their lives! If you're interested in learning more about CASA and how you can get involved, please contact Lori Curia by email at lori@casahancockcounty.org or by phone at (228) 344-0419.

Dean's, President's Lists Students Named for UA Spring 2022 Term

SEA COAST ECHO

A total of 11,224 students enrolled during Spring Semester 2022 at The University of Alabama were named to the dean's list with an academic record of 3.5 (or above) or the president's list with an academic record of 4.0 (all A's).

The UA dean's and president's lists recognize full-time undergraduate students. The lists do not apply to graduate students or undergraduate students who take less than a full course load. Local students listed: Olivia Alarcon of Bay Saint Louis

James Cloud of Diamondhead For more information visit news.ua.edu. The University of Alabama, part of The University of Alabama System, is the state's flagship university. UA shapes a better world through its teaching, research and service.

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ey where your mouth is. Provide the needed services and resources to make things like sobriety, parenthood, crime reduction, etc. a manageable reality. Instead of judging and shaming people for their choices, I think that providing constructive help is the real way to move forward.

136 Automobile

NOTICE OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicle listed below will be sold on July 27, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. at the location below:

Mike Perniciaro
10001 Perniciaro Lane
Bay St Louis, Ms 39520

2018 FORD FOCUS
VIN # 1FADP3F28JL299606
06/15, 06/22, 06/29/2022

NOTICE OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicles listed below will be sold starting July 29, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the location below:

MOSS TOWING
12130 Hwy. 603
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
(228)-467-5227

2006 VOLVO VNL
VIN# 4V4NC9GH16N400839
2012 CHEVROLET TRAVERSE
VIN# 1GNKRGEDXCJ152828

2001 TOYOTA AVALON
VIN# 4T1BF28B51U148580
1996 HONDA CIVIC
VIN# 1HGEJ6123TL081750

2008 HONDA ACCORD
VIN# 1HGPC368X8A051410

2003 PONTIAC GRAND AM
VIN# 1G2NW52E33C197537

2007 KIA SPT
VIN# KNDJF724677431147

06/29; 07/06; 07/13/2022

NOTICE OF ABANDONED VEHICLES

The following vehicles listed below will be sold starting July 29, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the location below:

MOSS TOWING
12130 Hwy. 603
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
(228)-467-5227

2017 HYUNDAI ELANTRA
VIN# 5NPD74LF1HH197215

2009 PONTIAC G6
VIN# 1G2ZJ57K494260968

2007 CHEVROLET TAHOE
VIN# 1GNFC13J37R179059

1997 HONDA ACCORD
VIN# 1HGCD5631VA25845

2003 PONTIAC GRAND AM
VIN# 1G2NE52F63C101055

2002 GMC YUKON
VIN# 1GKEC13Z22R307749

06/29; 07/06; 07/13/2022

kitty CORNER

This super sweet and affectionate girl is Flower, an 11 month old cutie who is great with kids and other cats. She loves playing with her toys and climbing on her kitty condo, and she loves her quiet, cuddle time, too. Flower is litter box trained and uses a scratching post. She will make a wonderful companion who will keep you smiling and who will fill your home with love. If you are interested in meeting Flower, please call the shelter, 228 466 4516.



HELP! The Shelter is overrun with kitties! Every color, every kind! Please come and adopt!

sponsored by Robert & Samantha McRaney and family

PET HAVEN VETERINARY HOSPITAL

228.467.3910 | 2016 Benigno Lane | Bay St. Louis, MS
(off Drinkwater behind Wendy's)
Charles West, DVM • Matthew Moore, DVM
Mon.-Thurs. 7:30am-6pm | Fri. 7:30am-1pm

ANIMAL HOSPITAL OF DIAMONDHEAD

228.255.4144 | Walk-ins & drop offs welcomed. Appointments recommended

Meet Coral. This beautiful, sweet natured Pittie princess was abandoned at the shelter after hours. Anything could have happened to her overnight, but we are just thankful she is safe. Coral is ready to join her forever home, and be part of a real family who will protect her and love her unconditionally. This lovely lady is approximately 2 years old, and of medium stature, (48 lbs). She is a most loving and affectionate girl, and is all about pleasing everyone around her. Coral needs to be the only dog in the home because she can exhibit jealousy tendencies around other dogs, especially other females. A home with one or two friendly male dogs might be an option. We highly recommend a home with a fenced backyard for lots of playtime and outdoor fun. Coral has not met any kids while at the shelter, but her personality is such that we feel that she would love joining a family with children. Coral is house trained, but we are unsure if she is crate trained. Please stop by and meet this happy gal during our visiting hours Mon-Fri 10am-3pm (Tues 1pm-3pm), or call our front desk at 228-466-4516 to schedule an appointment. Please bring your children and dogs along for the meet-n-greet to ensure compatibility.



Catfish Jerry



Photo submitted
A bad day of fishing is better than a good day at work. Waveland native Jerry West last week caught this gaff top sail catfish in Bay St. Louis.

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She ended up purchasing a 24-foot Coast Guard-compliant pontoon boat that seats six.

She credits Mike Cure and Tommy Bordages for helping her find the perfect location at Bordages Marina.

“Mr. Cure and Mr. Tommy gave me the opportunity,” she said. “If not for them, I might not have Mystic Ghost Rides right now.”

Mystic Ghost Rides met early success, but Johnston learned quickly it couldn’t be a seasonal operation if she wanted a full-time income.

“I realized the Haunted Bayou cruise wasn’t going to do it alone,” she said, “so I created a ‘Krampus Christmas Tour,’” followed by a “Voodoo Love Boat Tour” for Valentine’s Day, which was quickly followed by “The Pi-

rate Jean Lafitte and the Curse of the Lost Gold Tour.”

While giving tours, Johnston becomes “Mystic Molly,” to add to the mystique.

“It’s so wonderful to see people get on the boat and see how happy they are on a tour,” Johnston said.

Mystic Molly fills her charges in on the history of Bayou Caddy, regaling them with tales passed down from generation to generation, such as the “Reptilians in the Devils Swamp” and the Rougarou.

GHOST WALK & GULF COAST ECO-TOURS

And the business keeps expanding.

“Now my neighbor’s going to be doing the ‘Ghost Walk’ and cemetery tour,” in Old Town Bay St. Louis, Johnston said, walking through actual cemeteries and revisiting long-told local legends and ghost stories.

Just like the boat tours, she

said, the walking tour mixes historic fact and thrilling tales.

As the Mystic Ghost Rides website says, you’ll “Find out why Bay St. Louis is one of the most haunted coastal communities in America!”

Johnston also uses her years of teaching experience to help grow the business even more, offering Gulf Coast Eco-Tours on the Heritage Trail Possum Walk at the INFINITY Science Center.

“I taught science and we’re adding STEM to the tour — the teachers get a free lesson while the students learn interesting things out in the marsh,” Johnston said.

Group rates are available.

On Mystic Ghost Rides tours, refreshments are available for purchase.

For more information or to book any of the tours, call 228-363-9533 or go to www.mysticghostrides.com.

• TRAINING

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sie Harvill also attended Monday’s seminar.

Craig said the CRASE seminars are one of the outcomes of Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERTT), which “identified there was a need not only for police to have unified training, but a need for civilians to have training” in order to stay safe during emergency situations.

During the seminar, Craig led participants through a video presentation of a litany of school and church shootings over the past several years.

In most cases where someone is attempting to commit mass murder, Craig said, the assailant is someone who feels “like they’ve been wronged.”

“They do want notoriety for what they’re doing, and that’s a part of it,” Craig said.

One of the keys to preventing a mass shooting is to identify such an individual early and stop him before he carries out his nefarious plans, Craig said.

Unfortunately, he said, the Uvalde, Tex. police response to the tragic Robb Elementary shooting last month that killed 21 people and wounded 17 others was a “failure across the board.”

The assailant first shot his grandmother, Craig said, but she survived and alerted the police, who then failed to warn the nearby school or issue any kind of lockdown orders.

Craig related other incidents, though, where active shooters were stopped before they were able to commit mass murder because there were people on-site brave enough and tough enough to stop them.

For instance, he said, in a 2007 incident at New Life Church in Arvada, Colorado, “This devil came in and killed four people — but when he got to the main chapel (which held 10,000 attendees), the security guard, a retired police

officer, shot and killed him.”

In 2017, when a gunman opened fire at the Burnette Chapel Church of Christ in Antioch, Tenn., Craig said, “he shot six worshippers before a 22-year-old usher tackled him.”

In the take-down, the shooter accidentally shot himself in the chest, Craig said.

In 2021, the pastor of Light Mission Pentecostal Church in Nashville, Tenn., disarmed a 26-year-old man who pulled a gun during a church service, preventing any deaths that day.

In a Presbyterian church in California last month, Craig said, another heroic church-goer stopped a gunman be-

fore he was able to open fire. “That person died,” Craig said, but he saved many lives.

“The difference is the response,” he said. “We have to know when a credible threat walks into our church and we have to know what to do about it.”

The national average police response time to a mass shooting is three minutes, Craig said. It’s important for people to know what to do to hold off or slow down an attacker for that three minutes until police can arrive.

“Between the time it takes me to get there and address that (person), I need you guys not to be accessible targets.”

Craig said the CRASE

training is intended to help people train themselves in advance how to react when they are under high-stress situations, and “program our brains to stay alive.”

While a shooter is looking for as many soft targets as possible, Craig said, “You can affect whether or not targets are available during the event.”

Just as school fire drills have prevented any public school deaths during a fire since 1958, Craig said, CRASE training can help prevent deaths from an active shooter.

For more on CRASE training, contact Central Bible Church in Bay St. Louis at 228-467-0529.

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celebrating their reunification Monday evening — Jordan Christner and April Johnson — that they should be proud of their accomplishments.

“Not only for yourself, but for the agency,” Allen said. “You changed your story so that you could change ours, our narrative. Just think about it, your first interaction with our agency, we received an intake, a narrative, a brief synopsis of abuse and neglect. Like the details on the back of a book, your story was already written by someone else. We came along and assessed, we added additional details to your story through our court reports, our testimonies, our referrals, ongoing family assessments and family team meetings. And we documented and continued to tell our story. And through all of it, you listened, you heard, some may have yelled and cried, and yet, we documented and continued to tell our story. And through it all, you pushed, you fought, you showed up, you maintained, you persevered, not just for you, not just for the agency, not just for the court, but most importantly, your children and your family. And as a result, you changed our perspective, you changed our mindset, you changed the stigma, you changed our hearts and your life, but most important of all, your story to get your happy ending.”

Allen closed by saying “reunification is such a beautiful thing,” and urged parents to continue to stay strong, rely on support, care for their



Photo by Cassandra Favre | Sea Coast Echo
Josiah, Jordan, and Analeigha.

children, and make more changes towards a happy ending.

Last year, Hancock County Judge Trent Favre said, youth court implemented the family treatment court.

“It provides people with the opportunity to seek treatment through our court system,” he said.

Both Johnson and Christner participated in the program.

Johnson thanked the staff of youth court and said that the people there have become like family to her.

“What started all this was not being a family in the home,” she said.

She and her husband have been married for 18 years and one-year-old Paisley was their first child together. Last year, she was placed into CPS custody.

“It’s the biggest blessing and we started messing it up,” she said.

Johnson said her depression played the biggest role.

“For some crazy reason, I didn’t think I was good enough to be a

mother, I didn’t think I was good enough to be the woman she needed me to be for her. Life just got overwhelming.”

Johnson said it has been quite a journey and that she and her husband have learned a lot.

“The care that everyone has provided has just been overwhelming for us,” she said. “Something that I’ve never felt from anybody.”

Johnson said that even though she graduated from the drug treatment program, she is still a fixture at drug treatment court and providing counsel to new participants.

Christner is the mother of one-year-old Analeigha and two-year-old Josiah, who were taken into CPS custody last year.

About two years ago, Christner said, she moved from Kansas to Mississippi for a fresh start, but said she got “mixed up with the wrong crowd again.”

Christner’s alcohol use started when she was 14 and she was 30 years old when she stopped



Photo by Cassandra Favre | Sea Coast Echo
April Johnson and her daughter Paisley.



Photo by Cassandra Favre | Sea Coast Echo
One-year-old Analeigha looks up at her mother, Jordan.

drinking, but then moved on to meth.

After spending some time homeless on the streets of the Biloxi, and after the children’s father was sent back to Missouri after his arrest, Christner decided she was going to go to rehab and get her children back.

“What really gave me the hope was that Judge Favre gave me a chance by saying ‘you can change this for yourself and your kids,’” she said.

She spent three months at Born Free in Jackson. From there, she

was placed into Family Treatment Court at Hancock County Youth court.

“Coming out and coming into the family treatment program really, really helped me,” she said. “I felt like I had more of a connection. I got more out of it than I did in rehab and the people there are amazing. The support has been amazing and I couldn’t have done this without him. Graduating was one of my biggest accomplishments. I didn’t just do it for myself, I did it for my kids. They just

factor in all this for me.”

Favre also thanked the Hancock County Board of Supervisors for its support of youth court and budgeting for the programs youth court needs.

“This (youth court) is a journey that’s intended to help parents, get children back to their parents,” Favre said. “My gosh, don’t they pour back into us? The stuff that we learn from them. How to be a better judge, how to be a better prosecutor, how to be a better case worker. It’s an amazing thing.”

Sports

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Ole Miss sweeps Oklahoma for first national championship in baseball

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
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The Ole Miss Rebels swept the Oklahoma Sooners in the College World Series (CWS) best-of-three championship format over the weekend to bring home the Rebels’ first national championship in baseball. The win keeps the national championship trophy in Mississippi following Mississippi State’s title win in 2021. The Rebels (42-23) swept Oklahoma (45-24) by the scores of 10-3 and 4-2 to claim the title. On Saturday, Ole Miss beat the Sooners 10-3 behind solid pitching from starter Jack Dougherty who had a no-hitter through five innings. Ole Miss got on the board first with two runs scoring in the first inning to put the Rebels up 2-0. Oklahoma starter Jack Bennett was chased in the first frame as the Sooners ended up using multiple pitchers throughout the game. Justin Bench slapped an RBI single in the second inning to push the score to 3-0. Tim Elko hit a solo homerun in the third in-

ning to move the score to 4-0. Oklahoma got two runs in the sixth inning when they chased Dougherty off the mound. The Rebels put the game away in the eighth inning with three consecutive homeruns by TJ McCants, Calvin Harris, and Bench that gave the Rebels an 8-3 lead. It was the first time three consecutive homeruns were hit since LSU did it in 1998. Ole Miss added two more runs in the top of the ninth inning to make the final score 10-3. In the second game on Sunday, the two teams were backed by a pitcher’s duel between Ole Miss freshman Hunter Elliott and Sooner red-shirt freshman Cade Horton. Elliott lasted 6.2 innings allowing two runs and three hits, walking two, and fanning six batters. Horton lasted 7.1 innings and allowed two runs and four hits while walking none and fanning 13 batters. Oklahoma thought they scored a run in the top of the sixth on a single by John Spikerman;

however, after a review, Spikerman was called out by interference with Rebel 1B Tim Elko and runners were moved back to the bases and the run was canceled. In the bottom of the sixth inning, Ole Miss’ Jacob Gonzalez put the Rebels ahead with a solo homerun. Oklahoma scored twice in the seventh inning to take a 2-1 lead. In the eighth inning, Gonzalez singled home McCants who singled to start off the inning which tied the game 2-2. With Sooner senior closer Trevin Michael on the mound, two consecutive wild pitches allowed Bench and Gonzalez to score making the final score 4-2. Rebel closer Brandon Johnson struck out the side in the top of the ninth to start the championship party in Rebel Nation. The Rebels rise to the top of the college baseball world is worthy of a story and almost mythical. At the beginning of May, the Rebels had a Southeastern Conference record of 7-14 and were looking as if the postseason was a world away. It was a place that the Reb-



Photo by The Athletic
Ole Miss players gather in the traditional “dog pile” at the pitcher’s mound in Charles Schwab Stadium following their sweep of Oklahoma on Sunday that gave the Rebels their first national championship in baseball.

els had never in under head coach Mike Bianco. But, the coaches kept the team focused and the senior leadership of Elko, Bench, and Kevin Graham kept the younger players locked in. The Rebels went on a roll after May 1 winning 18-of-22 games including going 10-1 in the national tournament. After going one-and-done in the SEC tournament, the Rebels were the last team selected for the national tournament and were placed as a #3-seed in the Coral Gables regional where they went 3-0 and outscored the field 31-11. After the regional win, the Rebels traveled a short distance from home and swept #11-ranked Southern Miss in the Hattiesburg Super Regional by the scores of 10-0 and 5-0 to punch their ticket to Omaha and the CWS. Once in Omaha, the Rebels went 5-1 and outscored opponents 36-14 for the national championship. All told, in the tournament Ole Miss dominated their opponents by a score of 82-25. The recipe for success was a cup of senior leadership, a dash of dominant pitching, and a pinch of powerful hitting all baked together with belief and faith in each other. With the Pearl River CC Wildcats winning the national juco championship and Ole Miss bringing home the trophy to the ‘Sip, Mississippi is the king of baseball, again, so get over it.

Shaw inducted in Mississippi Association of Coaches Hall of Fame

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Dean Shaw, a 1979 Hancock North Central alum and lifelong Hancock County resident, was inducted into the Mississippi Association of Coaches Hall of Fame last week. Shaw was a four-year letter winner and three-year starter for the Hawks from 1975-79 and played for the legendary Roland Ladner. Following his playing days for the Hawks, Shaw received a basketball scholarship to Mississippi College where he earned his degree in 1983. Shaw commented, “I am very humbled, appreciative, and thankful for this tremendous honor. I owe alot to my family, my players, and the great communities of Harrison Central and Picayune. The students worked tremendously hard and the school district personnel and administrations were overwhelmingly supportive which are the reasons why I was successful as a coach. We had tremendous basketball players who worked tirelessly, school admin-



Dean Shaw

istrations who provided for us, and communities that supported us through thick and thin.” Shaw started his career as an assistant coach at Picayune under William “Butch” Van Breda Kolff who had coached the Los Angeles Lakers, New Orleans Jazz, and Hofstra University. Shaw was named head coach at Picayune in 1984 and stayed 11 seasons with the Maroon Tide. He coached the 1995-96 season at Harrison Central High School where he won the Class 5A state title. Shaw returned to Picayune in 1996 and remained the head coach of the Maroon Tide through 2006. He then made a jump

to school administration where he has worked as an assistant principal, vocational director, and now serves as Superintendent of the Picayune School District. He has spent 39 years in education. On the court Shaw has a career record of 552-169 and his teams have claimed 64 Invitational tournament titles, 11 district titles, 4 South State championships and the 1996 Class 5A state championship. Over the course of his 23 years as a coach 48 players earned college scholarships. He mentored five 30-win seasons and 14 20-win seasons and was a coach in the 1995 Mississippi High School All-Star game. Shaw continued, “Coaching in Mississippi was always a test of will. Every night out you had to coach against icons such as Bert Jenkins (Gulfport), Gerald Austin (Gulfport), Eddie Ladner (Harrison Central), Jackie Laird (Biloxi), and Roland Ladner (Hancock North Central/Pearl River Central). Then, as I got more seasoned as a coach, it did

not get any easier. I still had to coach against the likes of Bryan Caldwell (Gulfport), Jay Ladner (Saint Stanislaus), John Pugh (Biloxi), Ricky Stone (Harrison Central), and Michael Ray Ladner (Hancock North Central). We had to work hard each and every day to stay competitive.”

Shaw is one of the few coaches who played for and then had to coach against his mentor - Roland Ladner. Shaw confessed that it easier to coach against Roland Ladner than to play for him probably because he knew and understood what was coming down the line. But, make no

mistake about the love and respect that Shaw maintains for Roland Ladner and all that he taught him. Last week, Shaw joined the company of legends that mentored him and coached against him. Dean Shaw, Hall of Famer. It has a nice ring to it doesn’t it.





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Waveland Dental Center and Dr. Hal Jones are pleased to welcome Catherine Lee Bruni, DMD as a new associate. Dr. Bruni is a graduate of the University of Mississippi Medical Center School of Dentistry, where she also completed three years of research and won numerous awards for clinical excellence and patient care, while also being listed on the Dean’s Honor List all four years. She was a dual degree recipient of a Bachelor’s of Science in Biology and Bachelor’s of Arts in Studio Art from the University of Alabama, having previously graduated as valedictorian of her class from Gulfport High School. As a life-long resident of Gulfport, she is excited to be returning to the Coast to help residents and families with their oral health. Dr. Bruni will be practicing general dentistry at Waveland Dental Center effective July 11.

Notable events that have taken place on July Fourth

Residents of the United States spend July 4th celebrating the country's independence. Though July 4 has served as America's Independence Day for centuries, many other significant and memorable events have taken place on the fourth day of July.

1744: The Treaty of Lancaster is signed in Pennsylvania. The treaty dictates that the Iroquois will cede land between the Allegheny Mountains and the Ohio River to the British colonies.

1776: The United States Declaration of Independence is adopted by the Second Continental Congress. July 4 actually marks the day the final wording of the declaration, which had been submitted on July 2, was approved.

• 1802: The United States Military Academy officially commences operations. Located in West Point, New York, the USMA is the oldest of the five American service academies.

• 1826: On the fiftieth anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of the Independence, the second and third presidents of the United States, John Adams and Thomas Jefferson, respectively, pass away. Both men were instrumental to American success during the American Revolution.

• 1831: Samuel Francis Smith's "America (My Country, 'Tis of Thee)" is performed in public for the first time. The performance took place during a children's Independence Day celebration in Boston.

• 1845: Naturalist and essayist Henry David Thoreau moves into a cabin on Walden Pond in Concord, Massachusetts. His experiences there would later be detailed in "Walden Pond."

• 1913: President Woodrow Wilson addresses veterans of the American Civil War at a reunion marking the fiftieth anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg. More than 50,000 veterans of the war, including roughly 9,000 Confederate veterans, attend the reunion.

• 1939: New York Yankees first baseman Lou Gehrig announces his retirement to a crowd at Yankee Stadium, informing them he feels he is "the luckiest man on the face of the earth." Gehrig had recently been diagnosed with amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, a disease that would later be widely referred to as "Lou Gehrig's disease."

1983: Twenty-four-year old New York Yankees left-hander Dave Righetti throws a no-hitter against the rival Boston Red Sox at Yankee Stadium. Righetti struck seven of the first nine batters he faced and even overcame a delay in the eighth inning when umpire Steve Palermo suffered a knee injury. Outspoken Yankees owner George Steinbrenner did not attend the game, as he was in Florida celebrating his 53rd birthday with family.

• 2004: The cornerstone of the Freedom Tower is laid on the World Trade Center site in New York City. Now known as One World Trade Center, the building formally opened in November 2014.



Fourth of July party tips

More than 332 million people live in the United States, according to the most recent data from the U.S. Census Bureau. There's a good chance that, come July 4th, a considerable number of those individuals will be hosting or attending parties to celebrate American independence.

This year those planning on a July 4th fête can consider these tips as they prepare to celebrate with family and friends.

• Borrow a second grill. Those tasked with grilling often find themselves standing there for hours over hot flames. Cut down on time at the grill by adding an extra cooking surface. That's easily achieved by having more than one grill, and reserve the other for sausages and chicken, which may need more time to reach safe levels of doneness.

• Stop peeking. Resist any urge to check the food too often. Every time you flip, press or move the meats, you compromise flavor and could make the food dry out.

• Lure insects away. Bees are attracted to sweet smells, but wasps and hornets are drawn to meats. Put a saucer of very sweet soda and some chicken scraps in a far corner of your yard to attract yellow jackets and other stinging insects to that area, drawing their attention away from guests and their meals.

• Hire a lifeguard. If your party will involve time spent in a pool, consider hiring a lifeguard or designate someone to observe pool activities. Party hosts may be distracted by other duties, and one can't count on guests to watch what is going on in the pool. For safety's sake, a dedicated set of eyes on swimmers can prevent injuries and accidents.

• Give neighbors a heads-up. Parties and barbecues on July 4th are largely expected, but you can offer a courtesy to neighbors by informing them of your plans, including the start time and proposed ending time. If you are close with neighbors, consider inviting them to participate.

• Skip the fireworks. Even if fireworks are permitted where you live, it's best to avoid the potential safety hazards and leave fireworks displays to the professionals. Shooting off fireworks in neighborhoods causes debris to rain down on guests or land in pools, and it may even be ingested by pets or wildlife. Even sparklers can be dangerous, as they burn at 2,000 F. In fact, the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission says sparklers account for around 60 percent of injuries among children under five during summer festivities.

• Create a patriotic playlist. Use your favorite music streaming service to curate a music list that features America-specific songs, songs about summer and general party tunes. Be sure the music is in the background and does not overpower the conversation.

July 4th plans are heating up. When hosting a party or barbecue, keep it simple and safe.

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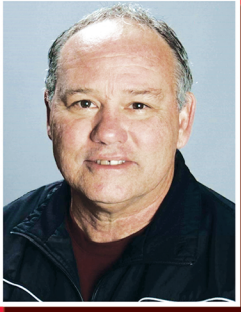
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C&R's 14th Annual Crawfish Cookoff to Benefit Hancock Resource Center

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C&R's 14th Annual Crawfish Cookoff to benefit Hancock Resource Center was held Saturday, April 23rd. The event brought out many locals for a day full of live music and plenty of crawfish.

C&R's 14th Annual Crawfish Cookoff featured twenty different teams going head-to-head competing for The Best Crawfish. Once entering guest were able to taste crawfish from all twenty teams and decide who would be their people's choice. The event took place on Coleman Avenue in Waveland with live music by The Barstool Cowboys who rocked the day away as guests enjoyed their crawfish. The event began at 10 a.m. and came to an end at 4 p.m.. HRC was the beneficiary of the event. Hancock Resource Center (HRC), a 501c3 organization that works to stabilize fam-



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People's Choice, Tongue Candy.

ilies and strengthen the community. HRC's mission is accomplished by addressing obstacles and barriers to housing and coordinating services for families in need. HRC is proud to have partnered with C&R's Bar

and Grill in organizing the details and enjoying the fun on the day of the event.

The teams took home many different awards (see list of winners below).

The Best Crawfish



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Best Crawfish 1st Place, The Crustacean Nation.

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C&R's 14th Annual Crawfish Cookoff was an amazing event with live music, plenty of crawfish, and fun for the whole family. Make sure to save the date for C&R's 15th Annual Crawfish Cookoff Saturday, April 22, 2023, from 11 a.m. till 5 p.m. or until the crawfish runs out.

Keep in mind that Hancock Resource Center's Shine-N-Brew will be held Saturday, October 1st! Keep an eye on Hancock Resource Center's social media pages for presale dates. We hope to see you all there!

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